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West Side.

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MORGAN THE MAN.

NAMED FOR CONGRESS TUESDAY

A Full Delegation Present at New London. Nomination Made Unanimous.

At the convention for the eighth congressional district at New London on Tuesday last Col. N. E. Morgan was nominated for congress on the democratic ticket. That the nomination was wise choice no one doubts for a moment, and many republicans even admit that there is a good chance for his election.

The convention was called to order at 11 o'clock a. m. L. Albert Karel of Keweenaw was elected temporary chairman and Fred Leahy of Stevens Point secretary. After the appointment of credential and permanent organization committees the convention adjourned until after dinner.

The delegates assembled promptly at 1 o'clock and after reports of committees proceeded at once to work. The nomination of Col. Morgan was made by D. Hammon of Appleton, who spoke at some length. He was followed by delegates from Door, Keweenaw and Portage counties, who heartily seconded the nomination of the colonel and the secretary was instructed to cast a unanimous ballot for Col. N. E. Morgan of Appleton.

A committee waited upon Mr. Morgan and requested that he favor those present with a short speech, which he did in a few well-chosen words.

A congressional committee was then chosen with C. F. Carr of New London as chairman, J. M. Baer of Appleton, secretary, and D. Hammon of Appleton, treasurer. One member of the committee was chosen from each county, the Wood county member being A. G. Pankow of Marshfield.

Mr. Morgan is colonel of the Second Regiment, W. N. and was a major in the volunteer army during the Spanish-American war, he having resigned his position as city clerk in Appleton to fight for his country. Col. Morgan is popular wherever he is known and is nowhere more popular than among the men he commands in the national guard. He has resided in Appleton during the past twenty-nine years and has been a member of the guard for many years, having been appointed colonel when the guard was reorganized.

WHERE TO REPORT.

A Guide to Pupils in Locating Their Departments.

The public schools of this city will open Monday morning, Sept. 3, at 9 o'clock a. m., and it is urged that pupils be in attendance from the start, bringing their promotion cards. Pupils not having promotion cards, must get certificate of entrance from the superintendent. Pupils residing outside the district will be admitted by the superintendent upon payment of tuition in advance.

EAST SIDE GRADING.

High school pupils will report, as usual, at the main building. Eighth grade pupils will also report at the main building in the grammar room. Those of the 7th grade living south of Saratoga street (Saratoga street runs east and west just north of Howe High school) report at the main building, and those living north of Saratoga street at the ward building. Fifth and sixth grades report at the ward building. All 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th grade pupils south of Saratoga street will report at the main building. Second and 3rd grade pupils near the old Congregational church will report at that place, a room having been fitted up in the church for school purposes. The balance of the 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th grades report at the ward school. The kindergarten will be located in the main building, and open on the east side in the afternoon only, beginning at 1:15 o'clock.

WEST SIDE GRADING.

High school pupils will report at the main building as usual, except the Senior class, which will be unitized to the Senior class on the east side. All the eighth grade will report in the main building, and all the sixth grade in the ward building. The balance of the grades will be divided. Those pupils living north of Cranberry street will report at the ward school and those south of Cranberry street will report at the main building. The 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th grades on the south side will attend the south side school as usual. The kindergarten department will be located in the basement of the new Moravian church, and will be open in the forenoon for west side pupils. Kindergarten age is from 4 to 6. A large attendance is hoped for.

The superintendent will be in his office all day Saturday, and will be ready to assist all new pupils in locating their grades. Office hours for other days will be from 8 to 9 in the morning, and from 4 to 5 in the afternoon. **GEO. P. HAMBRECHT.** City Sept.

New Priest at Junction City.

Rev. Jacob Gara has been assigned the pastorate at Junction City in place of Rev. J. Miller who has been there for some time past. Father Gara will also have in his charge the church at Sigel, where he will preach every alternate Sunday. Father Gara preached his first sermon at Junction City last Sunday and will conduct services at Sigel tomorrow.

Unclaimed Letters.

The following list of letters remain unclaimed for at the West Side office: Gentleman: Anderson, John; Cressfield, Martin; Meinberg, Herman; Ladies: Krites, Emma; Reed, Mrs. Matilda.

Railroad News.

During the past week there has been but very little development in the matter of the new railroad except that the work of surveying has gone steadily on and is now nearly completed as far as this city.

On Tuesday afternoon there was a meeting of the Business Men's association for the purpose of meeting with the parties in charge of the survey and other preliminaries connected with the new road. The representatives of the road who were present were Messrs. Whitman, Blunt, Yale and Penningill. These gentlemen wanted to know among other things if the Business Men's association was prepared to see that the road was granted a right of way and depot grounds in this city. The association, however, could not promise them anything owing to the fact that nothing had been said to them heretofore in an official manner. They assured the railroad men that they stood in readiness to co-operate with them in any way that it was possible for them to do, as are all our citizens.

When the meeting was held on Tuesday the railroad men assured those present that the survey would be completed within a week from that time. When the work of laying out depot grounds, etc., would commence in this city, which would occupy the surveyors' time for another week. The railroad men intimated that the depot would be located east of the Southeastern depot and not west of the St. Paul as heretofore stated by them.

During the past few days the surveyors of the road have been engaged in making a plat of the city that lies between the Marshfield & Southeastern road and the river. They do not say in what way this will be useful to them.

The projectors of the new road maintain that they have made no offer whatever to the owners of the M. & S. E. road, all reports to the contrary notwithstanding and that they do not contemplate buying the road.

Coadjutor Bishop.

The Reverend Reginald H. Weller of Stevens Point was chosen as coadjutor bishop of the Fond du Lac diocese on Thursday at the convention held in Fond du Lac. Following is a short sketch of the life of Father Weller:

Reginald Heber Weller, son of the Rev. Reginald Heber Weller and Mrs. Emma Amanda Weller, was born in Jefferson City, Mo., Nov. 6, 1857. He was educated at St. John's academy, Jacksonville, Fla., and the University of the South, Sewanee, Tenn. He studied theology privately under his father and was ordained deacon in Jacksonville, Fla., May 9, 1880, by Bishop Young of Florida. He served as diacate in Ocala, Fla., and as assistant at All Saints' church, Providence, R. I. He entered Naschotah Sept. 29, 1883, being graduated June 29, 1884, and was ordained priest in Milwaukee cathedral Sept. 12, 1884, by the late Bishop Welles. He was rector at Eau Claire, 1884 to 1888; at Waukesha, 1888 to February, 1890, and at Stevens Point since February, 1890. He was a deputy from the diocese of Fond du Lac to the general conventions of 1892, 1895 and 1898. He is archdeacon of Stevens Point and trustee of Naschotah seminary and Grafton hall, Fond du Lac. In every capacity he has shown good executive ability and wherever he has been stationed he has always won and held the esteem and affection of his parishioners.

Bicycle Thief Punished.

Albert Fritzloff of the town of Sigel was arrested on Tuesday for having stolen a bicycle and upon being brought before Justice Crotteau he pleaded guilty and was sentenced to three months in the county jail. The wheel belonged to James Craney of Port Edwards and had been left standing outside a saloon by the owner, where it was picked up by young Fritzloff.

The wheel was stolen on the fourth of August and was taken by Fritzloff out in the country, and it seems that some of his friends suspected that he had not come by the wheel honestly and advised him to return it to the rightful owner. This, in connection with the fact that Officer Gibson had got wind of the fact that the boy had a wheel that answered the description of the missing bike and had practically traced it to Fritzloff, imbued the young man with the idea that the best thing he could do would be to get rid of the stolen property as gracefully as possible.

On Friday of last week he brought the wheel to this office and had a notice published stating that he had found a wheel and requesting the owner to call here for the property, stating that he had found the wheel alongside the road in the town of Sigel. Officer Gibson immediately identified the bicycle as the one lost by Craney and when Fritzloff was arrested he confessed to the crime.

Nelson-Rabin.

Wm. H. Nelson of Merrill and Mrs. Clara Rabin of this city were married at the home of the bride's parents on Wednesday at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. The Rev. Mr. Kilbourne of Kaukauna performing the ceremony. L. Heiman of Merrill acted as groomsman and Miss Jeanie Hosbrouck of this city was bridesmaid.

The happy couple took their departure the same evening for Merrill where they will make their home. Mr. Nelson being an architect in that city. They have a large number of friends here to wish them happiness in their new life.

BEAT THEIR WIVES.

SEVERAL OFFENDERS IN JAIL

Seems to be a Popular Amusement Among a Certain Class of Our Citizens.

Another chapter has been enacted in the history of Wm. Annas and his family who reside in the town of Rudolph across the river from Biron. Mrs. Annas will be remembered as the woman who ran away from home last winter on account of the cruelty of her husband and remaining in the woods for three days frost her feet so badly that one of them had to be amputated. Owing to the fact that the woman has been compelled by her husband to be on her feet most of the time since the amputation occurred, the wound has been unable to heal and she is in consequence in a pitiable condition.

On Friday Annas was arrested for having beaten his wife, she exhibiting as evidence a pair of very black eyes and other marks of cruelty. The man gave bonds for \$100 and will appear for hearing next Monday.

It seems that Mrs. Annas had gone to the woods again to escape her husband's cruelty and that Annas came to this city and told of his wife's absence and wanted the sheriff to assist him in finding her. She returned of her own accord, however, and when it was seen what condition she was in the man was arrested. He denied having struck his wife and claimed the darkness about her eyes was the result of exposure. He also said that her leaving home was merely waywardness on her part and not through any fault of his.

From all evidence Annas is about as near a brute in human form as is generally found running about loose, and his wife and children have been so afraid of him that they did not dare to tell of his cruelty.

August Belger of Nekoosa was arrested on Tuesday on a charge of doing great bodily harm. Belger, it seems, had been in the habit of beating his wife whenever time hung heavily on his hands and there was nothing else to amuse him and it was through her complaint that he was arrested. He was bound over to appear at circuit court.

John Neadzwizki of the town of Seneca was sentenced to ten days in jail by Justice Brazeau of Port Edwards on Monday for beating his wife.

Poisoned with Fly Paper.

Charles Wasser, Jr., returned from Tomahawk last week on account of sickness, the result of being poisoned. Mr. Wasser had been employed in one of the sawmills at Tomahawk and one day the cook in the boarding house where he was staying dropped by accident a piece of fly paper into some potatoes that were boiling on the stove with the result that several of the boarders came near passing in their checks, Mr. Wasser among the number. With the assistance of physicians they all managed to come out of the unusual experience alive. Mr. Wasser is rapidly improving.

Change in Firm.

The firm heretofore known as Spafford, Cole & Lipke will hereafter be known as Spafford, Cole & Co. Not only has the name changed but a new member has been taken into the firm. The new member is H. C. McCann, who has been in the employ of the company during the past eight years. Mr. Lipke remains in the firm but the extra name is dropped in order to shorten the company name.

Promoted to State Agent.

Matt Schlegel of this city has been appointed state agent for the Milwaukee Harvester company and he left on Monday for Madison to receive instructions and assume his new duties. He does not know just where he will make his headquarters. Mr. Schlegel takes the place of H. Leidell who has been transferred to Iowa.

Prizes at the Fair.

G. Bruderli got first prize at the Stevens Point fair on Silver Laced Wyandottes, White Leghorns, Buff Cochins and Belgian hares.

Dr. V. P. Norton got first prizes on Black Langshans, young and old Plymouth Rocks and Buff Leghorns.

Leave for Canada.

John A. Flannigan, Canadian land agent, will leave in a few days for western Canada with a colony of seventeen families from Rudolph. He was at Rudolph on Wednesday last, closing up the matter.

Attraction at Opera House.

One of the principal attractions to be offered at the theatre goes this season is a new farce comedy by Edward Owings Towing the well known author of "Other Peoples Money." The comedy bears the pleasing and suggestive title of "To Rich To Mary" and is said to be even better than its name would promise. Edward Owings Towing has been for years recognized as one of the leading dramatists and anything from his pen is sure to meet a warm reception at the hands of the great multitude of his admirers. The new comedy is said to be full of sparkling humor, surprising turns and funny situations. One thing is sure, a new play by the author of "Other Peoples Money" is always entitled to be greeted with a crowded house.

The play will be given at the Grand Opera House, Saturday evening Sept. 8th.

Mysterious Death.

A three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Leoff of South Central died on Tuesday from some unknown cause, the symptoms being much the same as cholera infantum. However as the little one had been sick only since the night before it was hardly thought possible that this could be the cause, and as the child had eaten some candy the night before, as well as two of the other children, it was thought possible that there may have been some poison in the candy. The other two were similarly affected but not so severely and are now practically well.

Mr. and Mrs. Leoff were in town Monday and before starting for home bought some candy for the children. When they arrived only three of the children were at home and these were given some of the candy. They were all taken sick but the little girl gradually grew worse and in spite of the efforts of physicians nothing could be done to save her life. The symptoms were like those of arsenic poisoning and while it is known that arsenic is used to a limited extent to color candy, still it is inconceivable how a sufficient quantity could have got into one stick to have caused death.

The little one was buried on Thursday afternoon and the family has the sympathy of the community in their sad affliction.

LATER.—We learn as we go to press that another child, a four-months-old boy, of the same family died last night, the symptoms being those of cholera infantum.

Grand Rapids Picnic.

Private advice received from Dawson, N. D., tell of a picnic held there on the 18th of August which projected and attended entirely by Grand Rapids people. Among those present were the following: Mr. and Mrs. Anson Bugsby, Bert Brown and mother, Mrs. Charles Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Will Ketchum, Mr. and Mrs. Nic Emil, Frank and Fred Elbel and Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Gokey. The picnic was held at Lake Isabelle which is situated three miles south of Dawson.

Baseball at Cashton.

The baseball boys left last night for Cashton where they will play two games. Those who make up the club are Alex Bandelin, Del Gotschy, Chas. Halvorson, Will Delap, Charles Lipke, Paul Love, Elmer Glass, Graves and Brennan.

FOR DAILY USE



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HOSTILITIES OF RUSSIA

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GIRLS ARE ROBBED OF THEIR WAGES.

Ridiculous System of Fines in Shops Where Shirtwaists Are Made.

New York, Aug. 28. Shirtwaist girls—those who make the waists are on a strike here. In an appeal to Central Labor union for aid the sellers declared that an arbitrary system of fines prevails in the trade to such an extent that wages are cut unmercifully.

Rose Bogin was the spokesman. "I have heard of shops," she said, "where, if a girl laughs, she is fined 15 cents, and smiting costs 10 cents, consisting of looking-glass, 15 cents, and talking, 25 cents."

"If a girl takes half a day off, besides losing her pay for that time, she is fined 25 cents, and the result is that at the end of the week the girl who has earned \$10 is lucky if she gets \$4."

The average price paid for making a shirtwaist is 10 cents. Six can be made in a day. Work lasts about five months a year.

SOLDIER GOES INSANE.

Eau Claire Veteran—Wandering About Chicago Streets Looking for His Family.

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 28. William H. White, an old soldier of Eau Claire, Wis., went insane in the Central police station last night over the disappearance of his family. At the station he told Chief of Detectives Collier that he became separated from his family at the depot. He had wandered all over the city looking for them without success.

In the night, from continued worry, he began to show signs of insanity. The Wisconsin delegation was visited and a cousin of the afflicted man was found who took him in charge. Meantime, an order was issued to all policemen to look out for the missing ones.

Charles Beckwith, marching with Sheridan post, N. 4, of the Department of Michigan, dropped dead in the parade from heart disease at Michigan avenue and Madison street.

F. W. Hyatt, 60 years old, a member of F. A. Jones post of Lincoln, Mo., was struck by a Lincoln avenue cable train today and seriously injured.

O. J. Martin of Shylock, Mich., a member of Williams post No. 40, was overcome by heat at Michigan avenue and Randolph street and removed to a hospital. His condition was reported serious.

TWINS DIE TOGETHER.

Remarkable Case of Subconscious Sympathy Shown in Death of Two Children.

Rowling Green, O., Aug. 28.—Clyde and Clyde Wilson, twin children of Archie Wilson of Durkay, this county, died at the same time under the same circumstances, ending two lives that were identical in every respect. These children were so similar in appearance that no one saw their mother could tell one from the other. Besides their physical similarity their mental actions were always simultaneous, seemingly each having the same thoughts. The parents declared that they were just like one child, except that they lived in two bodies. Clyde fell on the floor about two weeks ago and bruised her forehead. Last Friday she was taken sick with an affliction of the brain. Clyde became afflicted exactly the same way, and followed Clyde in death by but a few hours. Both will be buried in the cemetery at Rudolph.

ESTATE OF \$1,000,000.

Will of the Late Archbishop Hennessy Admitted to Probate.

St. Paul, Minn., Aug. 28.—The will of the late Archbishop Hennessy of Dubuque, Ia., has been admitted to probate here. It gives to a half dozen of the prelate's relatives \$400,000 worth of real estate in Ramsey, Washington, Mower and Freeborn counties. Other relatives and various church societies receive \$600,000 worth of real and personal property in Iowa. The will named as executors Archbishop P. J. Ryan of Philadelphia, Archbishop P. A. Tolan of Chicago, Mgr. Roger Ryan, Rev. Clement Johannus and Michael V. Hennessy of Dubuque, Archbishops Ryan and Tolan and Michael V. Hennessy declined to act as executors and the big estate will be administered by Mgr. Ryan and Father Johannus.

BENNETT'S NEW YACHT.

Has a Straight Stem and will Steam 18 Knots an Hour.

London, Aug. 28.—The steam yacht *Lysistrata*, built for James Gordon Bennett, proprietor of the New York *Herald*, by W. Denny & Bros., on designs furnished by George L. Watson, was launched this morning at Dumbarton, Scotland. She is the largest yacht built on the Clyde, is designed to steam eighteen knots an hour, and has the novel feature of a straight stem.

The *Lysistrata* is built of steel, has twin screws, and is schooner-rigged. She is over 248 feet over all, has 33 feet 9 inches beam, and her depth is 21 feet 5 inches.

CAMILLE D'ARVILLE A BRIDE.

Opera Singer Weds. E. W. Crelin, a Social Lion at Oakland, Cal.

Oakland, Cal., Aug. 28.—Camille d'Arville, the opera singer, and E. W. Crelin, one of the best-known of Oakland's social set, were married at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Arthur Crelin, 972 Jackson street. Their immediate relatives witnessed the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Crelin left on their wedding tour. They will reside in Oakland. Mrs. Crelin says the wedding meant farewell to the stage.

Suicide of Stock Broker.

New York, Aug. 28. Alfred Bingon, a stock broker of this city committed suicide in Long Branch, N. J. No cause is known for the act. Bingon was prominent in Geneva, Italy, whence his family came.

Chinese Vegetables.

An Americanized Chinaman living near Bristol, Conn., is making an excellent living by raising vegetables, not in the use of his countrymen in the nearby cities. His name is Wili Sing, and his farm consists of one and one-half acres. Letters of a peculiar brand, beans, squash, carrots and other root vegetables, some of the produce, all being of the Chinese type.

Naturalists have discovered that the voice of an elephant was as loud in proportion to size as that of a nightingale, his trumpeting could be heard around the world.

Czar Opposing Arrangements for Peaceful Solution.

KAISER IS FOR WAR.

Scenes of Desolation in Pekin Due to Conflicts with Boers and Attacks Upon Legations.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 28. The cabinet meeting today was devoted entirely to a discussion of the diplomatic phase of the situation in China. No definite resolution was reached on any point. No statement as to any of the questions discussed was made public. There will be another cabinet meeting this afternoon.

After being in session over three hours the members separated to meet again at 2:30. After the meeting the members of the cabinet were extremely reticent and non-committal. It is learned, however, that the subject under consideration revolved almost exclusively to the policy of the government in the negotiations now going on with the powers concerning China. It was positively asserted that no information of an alarming character had been received. The policy of the government is being formulated and at the meeting this afternoon the text of a memorandum embodying the views of the United States, which is being prepared for transmission to the foreign governments, will be formally considered.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 29. Germany is on the eve of declaring war against China.

This has been made manifest to the Washington authorities by the hostile stand of the Berlin government against accepting Li Hung Chang as the emissary of China in future negotiations to re-establish peace.

State department officials are now convinced that the territorial integrity of China is seriously menaced by the secret plans of some of the powers whose armies are operating in the Yellow empire.

The note addressed to the powers last week, asking for an outline of their purposes with reference to China, was received by Admiral Remey's report that some of the admirals at Taku, in conference, had agreed to hold Li Hung Chang a prisoner on board ship, denying to him the privilege of communicating with the Emperor.

Following the report of the French admiral to this effect, the state department laid out the fact that Admiral Remey had refused to become a signatory to the agreement of the admirals.

Russian Held Aboard.

The Russian admiral also, it is stated on good authority, declined to become a party to the resolution, which was drawn and signed by the French, German, British and Indian commanders, indicating that the nations whose representatives signed it do not mean to make terms with China on the lines laid down by the United States, but are resolved to make settlements to their own satisfaction and on lines of their own.

PEKIN DESOLATED.

Appalling Destruction of Property in China's Capital.

London, Aug. 29.—On account of the conditions prevailing in Pekin, dated August 15 and mailed thence to Shanghai, whence it was cabled yesterday, says that the capital now presents an aspect of absolute desolation. The destruction has been simply appalling.

The Miss Woodward referred to in the dispatch from Tien Tsin is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Woodward of Evanston, Ill. They were guests of Minister Conger at Pekin. Mrs. and Miss Woodward left Evanston in January to make a tour of Japan and China. They were accompanied by Mrs. Conger, wife of the minister.

Miss Mary Condie Smith has also been a guest of Minister Conger at Pekin. One of Miss Smith's sisters is the wife of Gen. Leonard S. Wood, the governor of Cuba.

Miss Payne is a Milwaukeean. Her mother lives on Farwell avenue.

At 10 days' negotiations at Pekin, Gen. Li Hung Chang's forces have been steadily retreating before the advance of the Allies, which is still regarded as the most important factor in this campaign. The Boers' lines are extending to the north, and the British, French and Indian forces are approaching to the Boers' lines. Li Hung Chang's ability of commanding his own government, the Boers' lines, was enduring at the moment, and was much confirmed by the arrival of the new cabinet. A day or two ago, it was reported probably, was an order relating to the conditions that existed at Taku before the beginning of the march on Pekin. The minister was very strongly of the opinion that any renewed attempt to interfere with Li Hung Chang's order in his movements or his communications with the imperial government would prove most disastrous in its effect upon the war.

London, Aug. 28. The British government has issued a circular to the British legations in China, calling for a conference to be held at Taku on Aug. 30, to discuss the conditions of the present hostilities in China.

It is stated that the preparations are being made for wintering 50,000 United States troops in China. The arrangements are made in order to guard against a failure of peace negotiations.

The plan of an international conference on the Chinese situation is again being discussed among officials here. In the last note of the United States, replying to Li Hung Chang's application for peace negotiations, it was stated that this government, when the time was opportune, not only would welcome overtures for a peace, but would stand ready to invite the other powers to join in such a movement.

London, Aug. 28. A special dispatch from St. Petersburg contains the assertion that Russia, almost immediately, will notify the powers she considers the Boers' legations as the final accomplishment of the military task of the allied forces. The afternoon papers applaud Gen. Chaffee's prudence in preparing for a winter campaign, as they regard the activity of the allies at Pekin and the difficulty of discovering a responsible Chinaman with whom to treat, unless Li Hung Chang is able to place himself in communication with the fugitive court and secure credentials satisfactory to all the powers, indications that the solution of the problem will be more prolonged and more difficult than previously hoped.

Americans Reach Tien Tsin.

Tien Tsin, Aug. 25, via Taku, Aug. 25.

Fifty Americans, including the Misses Condie, Woodward, and Payne, have arrived here from Pekin, which they left five days ago by boat.

Lieut. Waldron of the Ninth United States infantry received a serious sniping wound while patrolling at Ho Si Wu.

The Russians, Germans and Japanese are constantly pushing troops on to Pekin.

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In Case the Disease Spreads All Shipping will be Quarantined.

London, Aug. 29.—Great Britain is becoming alarmed at the prospect of an epidemic of bubonic plague within her own boundaries. The medical authorities at Glasgow have already had several cases under their observation. On Monday a child sickened and died within forty-eight hours from an illness which was at first thought to be pneumonia, but after a minute examination by the proper authorities was pronounced plague. Another death has occurred and ten families were removed to a reception house for patients suffering from this disease, which the municipality has been the most wanton destruction of property. Buildings which were not burned were pulled down for the mere pleasure of destroying something.

There is a marvellous sight. There are brick and sandbag barricades every twenty yards, while the underground shelters are littered with discarded uniforms, hundreds of cartridge boxes, and pouches, and even rifles and spears, left behind by the Chinese when they fled.

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The day the allies arrived they burned several of the city gates. Fires are blazing everywhere. Several buildings within the imperial city were set on fire by the shells of the allies. The French legation, which used to have one of the finest compounds in the city, now only shows few portions of its walls standing. Hundreds of acres covered by natives' houses have been burned over.

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It is also stated that Russia offered as much opposition to this declaration as it could.

Would Raze the Winter Palace.

London, Aug. 29, via Taku, Aug. 27. Three Russians, two Japanese, one British and one American battalion searched the imperial park, south of the city and about five miles out, for Boers. They found force was found, but only a single Chinese scout, who was killed.

The Japanese are in possession of the imperial summer palace, the winter palace is here and is still closely guarded. The Russians wish to destroy it.

Moving on Pao Ting Fu.

Berlin, Aug. 29. According to a dispatch received here from Tien Tsin, Japanese forces are understood to be now en route from Taku to Pao Ting Fu, capital of the province of Chih Li, with the direct object of occupying the latter place.

The German vice-consul at Taku reports the arrival at Pekin August 22 of a German convoy with provisions.

The railroad from Tien Tsin to Yang Tsin is working, but from the latter place to Pekin the road is in bad shape.

Attempts to Restrict Earl Li will Have a Bad Effect.

Washington, Aug. 29. Baron Speck von Stomberg, the German chargé d'affaires, has received a formal protest from the Chinese government.

Cambridge Professor Dead.

London, Aug. 29. Prof. Henry Sedgwick, professor of moral philosophy at Cambridge university since 1883, is dead. He was born in 1838.

DRAWING TO A CLOSE.

War Between Boers and British Reaching Final Stage.

ROBERTS MEETS BOTHA.

Burglers Have Great Natural Resources and Are Making Determined Resistance.

London, Aug. 28. Heavy fighting is reported to have occurred at Machadodorp. The Boers are said to have been defeated with great loss, losing their guns and ammunition in the hands of the British.

London, Aug. 28. A special dispatch from Pretoria dated August 27 says: "It is stated that fighting with Botha's commandos was resumed this morning. The Boers' lines were broken and the enemy is falling back. The British cavalry are reported to be considerable."

London, Aug. 28. Lord Roberts dispatches announce what many people here take to be the beginning of the final stage in the South African campaign.

The commander-in-chief held a council of war with his lieutenants, Buller, French and Pole Carew, on Saturday and on Sunday began a general attack on Gen. Botha's entrenched position, on which not much impression had been made.

In the preliminary operations of the previous few days the Boers had chosen a line of defense of great natural strength, stronger, in fact, than any they have held since they fell back from the Tugela. Their forces were disposed along a formidable chain of hills, extending over a front nearly thirty miles, their flanks resting on broken ground protected by marshes.

The British advance began on the west to the north of Belfast, from which place the Boers fell back toward the Lydenburg range. Lord Roberts reports that the Boers are making a most determined resistance in a locality well adapted for their defensive tactics and badly suited for cavalry movements.

Boers' Last Stand.

Some experts think it is really Gen. Botha's last stand and it defeated here will be completely crushed. Lord Roberts' superiority in numbers is so great that he may probably attempt to work right around the Boers and drive them from their position by menacing their line of retreat. To judge from previous experience, it is unlikely that the Boers would stay long enough to permit the maneuver to be accomplished.

Meanwhile the Boers are themselves busy in endeavoring to raid Lord Roberts' lines of communications both in the Orange River colony and in Natal. At Weisburg, in the neighborhood of the scene of some of Gen. Dewey's most remarkable exploits, a body of imperial cavalry, was in difficulties under an attack of a considerable force of Boers on last Friday

'Twixt Life and Death

BY

FRANK BARRETT

CHAPTER II.—(Continued.)

You did seem rather worried, dear."

"Oh, I was. To begin with, I didn't like the part I had to play, as you know. As Mrs. Vie had written it out it was simply ridiculous. Now when the dresser told me how she had seen it played, I saw what a capital part it might be made; and when I thought of this letter, I resolved to play it. So I went to the station for a copy of *Goldsmith*, and studied it with the dresser, who promised to make me up exactly like the actor she had seen. If I am expelled from one school, it's pretty certain that another won't take me when they hear what they are exposing themselves to!"

"But isn't it rather dreadful to be expelled, Nessa?"

"I shall not be expelled. I shall resign," said Nessa, loftily. "I have not studied the political history of the British constitution for nothing," she added, with a dash of humor in her eyes.

"When are you going to resign, dear?"

"The very first thing to-morrow morning, I made Tinkleton promise she would say nothing about the performance to Mrs. Vie to-night in order that I myself might tell her in the morning. You may be sure she was glad to get out of it. There's another reason why I prefer to resign. If I were expelled, Mrs. Vie would get nothing out of Mr. Redmond; but if I resign, he must send her the payment for a term, and that will help to compensate the poor old soul for the injury I have done the school."

"And where shall you go when you leave here?"

"To Grahame Towers, of course."

"But aren't you afraid, Nessa?"

"Afraid of what—that coward? Not I. If I were a man I'd be a soldier like my father. There's nothing I should like better than a good fight with that villain, Redmond."

"But are you sure he's a coward, dear?" asked one of the girls naively.

"I am certain that he is. I am anxious to-morrow to come; but, oh!" she added, with a sudden drop in her voice as the tears sprang into her eyes, "I shall never have the heart to say good-by to you, dears."

There were hugging and kissing all around, and then Nessa, bursting away, said, "Come, let us get it over now. There, take these, Dolly; and now, little witch, you're next. Choose what you would like."

But the "little witch," sitting on the bed with her face buried in her hands, shook her head and whimpered. She was a strangely small girl for her age, with long, thin fingers, a dark complexion and black hair, long and sleek as an Indian's. Her ways were odd and seductive. Sometimes the girls found her seated in the dark, huddled up with her chin resting on her knees, and her weird, woe-worn eyes half closed, as if her spirit was wandering in some of her wilds. She could interpret dreams, and make sense out of the greatest rubbish. She was an authority on all that concerned signs and tokens and palmistry, and had worn a smugged pack of cards limp in telling the girls' fortunes. Her title was not unmerited.

The girls gathered about her prepared for some new sensation in the romance of this night. Nessa alone seemed to be unawed.

"What's the matter, you little goose? Is there anything dreadful in giving presents?"

"Don't, don't!" pleaded the little witch, without removing her hands. "It's like Naomi, my sister. When she was going to die she made us take things."

"But I am not going to die. Look at me—do I look like it?"

"You don't know all," said the girl, shivering and whispering so low that her words were scarcely audible. "Not all that I know. I would not tell you while it might do you harm to know, but I must now that it may save you. Oh, you must not go!" She raised herself suddenly and threw her arms about Nessa's neck; "you, so beautiful and kind," she added, nestling herself in Nessa's ready embrace.

"Why, dear, why?" whispered Nessa, consolingly.

"You are in danger. Your life is not safe. There is going to be a great change, and there is peril in your path. I have seen it whenever I have looked—in the cards, in your hand. Your line of life is broken in the nineteenth year."

Nessa was the only one of all the little group who was not terrified into silence by the little witch's prophecy.

"Oh, come, this is too bad, after pronouncing me last week that I should have riches and long life," she murmured, playfully, as she smoothed her cheeks upon the girl's sleek hair. "Two things can't be true, you know; and of the two I would prefer to believe your first pronouncement."

"They are both true," said the girl, with feverish eagerness; "you will be happy if you live; but there are three years of terrible danger before you. It was that I dared not tell you. Oh, do, do stay with us till the peril is past."

Nessa herself stood now in silence, subdued with grave perplexity by the earnestness of her little friend. But suddenly a ray of intelligence gleamed in her face, and unclasping the girl's clinging arms from her neck, she set her away, holding her at arm's length.

"You little trickster!" she exclaimed, with mock disdain; "I have found you out. I see through your coqueting. You have been thinking about that clause in the codicil that puts Mr. Redmond in possession of my fortune if I die before twenty-one, and it struck you that he might murder me for my money if he got me under his hand in Grahame Towers. I forgive you, dear," she added, taking the child back to her bosom, and kissing her, "for your sweet love of me; but, oh, you are awfully mistaken if you think that fear would keep me from getting into difficulties."

CHAPTER III.

It was about five o'clock when Nessa reached her destination.

But, while Nessa had been coming to this conclusion the woman had arrived, at a far more definite estimation of her character, and decided, among other things, that she was a young person whom it would be far easier to lead than to drive.

With the sweetest expression still upon her face, Mrs. Redmond turned from Nessa to her husband with the slightest interrogative lifting of her prettily arched eyebrows.

"Miss Grahame came here to pay us a visit," he explained, with the sweetest embarrassment; "lest I have persuaded her to return to the hotel at Lullingford, where she will be much more at her ease. We have no accommodation in this wretched old ruin, you know."

"Oh, we are not so badly off as that, dear. We can certainly find a room, and if Miss Grahame will accept the best we have to offer—"

"Well, settle it as you please," interrupted Redmond. "I'm off for an hour's shooting," and, raising his hat, he turned his back and hurried off, saving himself, as was his habit, from the present difficulty, and leaving the worst for the future.

"Shall we walk to the house, dear? Then we can talk as we go along," said Mrs. Redmond.

Nessa accepted readily. Mrs. Redmond handed the reins to the old man in livery who occupied the seat beside her, and, stepping to the ground, shook Nessa heartily by the hand.

"You will bring the luggage up to the house," she said to the liveryman.

"Do you know, dear?" said Mrs. Redmond, taking Nessa's arm as they walked toward the house, "this is the first time I ever heard your name! Men are so

surprised about business matters, and I suppose you have some business relations with him?"

"Oh, yes; he is my guardian. I came here to have an understanding with him about my position."

"Your guardian! How odd he should never have told me anything about it. I feel quite hurt, dear; it looks almost like a want of confidence. I knew, of course, that Mr. Redmond was a widower when I married him, but he never told me that Mrs. Grahame had left any children. Perhaps he thought I should want to have you with me—as I certainly should, having no children of my own. But you are not a child now. Have you any brothers or sisters?"

Half way up the great drive they met a wagon loaded with the trunk of an enormous oak.

"Cutting my timber," exclaimed Nessa, with indignation.

A little further on the driver pulled up. A gentleman in shooting costume stood with a gun under his arm directly in the way.

It was clear to see by his commanding presence that he was master there. As the fly stopped he came to the side, and, seeing a lady, raised his hat.

It was three years since they met, and for the moment he failed to recognize Nessa. There was a great difference in the appearance of a girl at that time of life; they make little or none in a man of middle age.

Nessa knew him at once, though his black whiskers, which were formerly trimmed to a point, were now shaven to the fashionable military cut—she knew him by those long, sleepy eyes, and that odious smile. She bowed with severe formality. In that moment he perceived that the haughty young lady before him was the disagreeable child he had seen last in a short dress.

"Nessa!" he exclaimed, the amiability going suddenly from his face, "why on earth have you come here?"

"Because it is my home, and I intend to stay here for the present."

"You will do nothing of the kind. I told you that it was my wish you should stay in the school where I placed you."

"As you see, I have not stayed there."

"Then you will be good enough to return at once."

"Quite out of the question; I have rendered that impossible."

"How?"

"This is hardly a suitable place for discussing our affairs, Mr. Redmond."

"Discussing our affairs, indeed! The discussion begins and ends here. Turn around," he added, addressing the driver, imperatively.

The driver turned about with a grin on his broad face, and said:

"Where am I to take you now, miss?"

"To the nearest magistrate."

"Why, that's Sir Thomas Bullen at the Chase."

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"Confusion!" muttered Redmond, furiously, as he caught sight of the phantom and the lady who drove in it; the next moment, with abject entreaty in his face, he turned to Nessa and said hurriedly in a low tone:

"To be continued."

Two Bad Things.

Shall I give you a parable? asks Mark Gay Pearce. Once upon a time there was a man walking in the highway and he fell. No doubt it was partly his own carelessness. He, however, insisted that it was an accident. But the trouble was, that when he was down he stayed there, and spent all his time in telling everybody who would listen how it happened.

Some shook their heads doubtfully and that made him angry. Some sympathized with him, and that made him sad. At last there came a simple man who asked:

"How long have you been here?" It was ten, twelve, fifteen years or more.

The simple man shook his head. "I am sorry, very sorry."

"Yes," said he who was down, "it is a terrible thing to tumbldown."

"That may be," said the simple man, "but there's one thing a thousand times worse."

"What is that?"

"Why, not getting up again."

The Proper Response.

Mamma. Why did you let him kiss you?

Daughter. Well, he was so nice; he asked me—

Mamma. But, haven't I told you you must learn to say "No?"

Daughter. That's what I did say. He asked me if I'd be very angry if he kissed me.—Philadelphia Press.

HIGH MASS IN HIS HONOR.

Silver Anniversary of Rev. Fr. Scholter of Oshkosh.

GREAT CROWDS ATTEND

Sermon Delivered by Bishop Messer and Services Closed by Archbishop Katzer.

Oshkosh, Wis., Aug. 28. [Special.]

The Rev. Father Scholter, pastor of St. Mary's Catholic church of this city, celebrated the silver anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood today. The event was made the occasion for special services at his church. Father Scholter celebrated high mass in the morning and was followed by the Rev. Father Katzen of Appleton, who also celebrated mass, a service he performed twenty-five years ago upon the occasion of the ordination of Father Scholter. The sermon was delivered by Bishop Messer of Green Bay, and the Rev. Father Homan of New London acted as master of ceremonies. An address was delivered by Vicar-General Mgr. J. J. Fox of Green Bay, and the interesting services were closed by Archbishop Katzer of Milwaukee. During the services the church, one of the largest in the city, was crowded with members and friends of the popular pastor, and the latter received many hearty congratulations during the day.

SHOTGUN STOPS THE SPOONING.

Iratus Resident or La Crosse Interrupts the Love-Making Couples.

La Crosse, Wis., Aug. 28. [Special.]

The residents of the eastern portion of the city have begun crusade against the too-pronounced loyings that is going on in that quarter of town. They aver that too many loving couples drop out that way to spoon. It would not be so bad if they would do it on the quiet, but they do not hesitate to make a great deal of noise racket and keep the neighborhood awake these hot nights when it is very hard to sleep anyway. Not satisfied with this they appropriate whatever porches are unoccupied which also has a way of making the occupants of the houses pretty sore. Things reached such a point last night that the midnight hour was startled by the sharp report of a shotgun fired in the air by one of the irate residents. The shooting had the effect of putting an end to the love-making that had been going on, the couples gradually disappearing from the scene.

WOMAN IMPLICATED.

Clue to the Gang of Six Thieves that Have Robbed Stores.

La Crosse, Wis., Aug. 28. [Special.]

The police have a clue to the silk thieves who stole \$1000 worth of silk from L. Corcoran's store in the person of a woman whom they are trying to locate. It has come to light that on the day of the robbery a finely-dressed, good-looking woman called at the store and had the clerks pull down most of the goods in the house in an attempt to find a piece of plain goods that she said she wished to purchase. It is supposed she was sent to the store by the men across in an effort to locate the class of goods they wished to get. They took only the plainer black goods, so that it is almost impossible to trace the goods.

"I shall not be of age for three years."

"Only eighteen! And, of course, when you are twenty-one you will have more than you have now."

"Oh, I shall have everything. This estate is all left to me."

Mrs. Redmond was immensely tickled with her account of the performance, which Nessa gave with considerable humor, being of an impulsive and expansive nature.

"You can't tell how glad I am that you have come here, dear," said Mrs. Redmond; "and I'm sure that, with the money it would cost to keep you at school you can provide amply for your wants. Of course, your mamma left a proper provision for you?"

"Oh, yes; I have a copy of her will in my box. I was to have eight hundred a year during my minority."

"Eight hundred a year! That's quite a great deal. Eight hundred a year?" she repeated, reflectively. "But surely, dear, you will soon be of age; you look quite a woman."

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Mrs. Redmond stopped with an exclamation that had something of dismay in it; but, quickly recovering her self-possession, she drew Nessa's arm closer to her side, and said:

"You must forgive me, dear. This is such a surprise, and I feel so wounded to think that my husband should not have told me something about his position. I dare say he has his own independent fortune; but beyond that he has nothing whatever to come to come from this estate?"

"Nothing that he can legally claim; but, of course," said Nessa, her generous disposition overcoming her late hostility—"of course I should never—never!" She hesitated, at a loss to find a phrase that might assure her new friend of a kindly intention without wounding her feelings.

"You don't know all," said Nessa, her broad face, and said:

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THE PASSING OF MINOR.

There seems to be a general feeling among republicans that Congressman Minor is about to see the setting of his political sun; that he hasn't got the pull he once had throughout the district, and that they don't much care if it is so. Why this is we do not pretend to know, but maybe the republicans do. Maybe some of them have been disappointed, a broken promise, or something of that sort. One thing is certain, and that is that there isn't any enthusiasm displayed in the matter and we venture to predict that when all the little voting precincts have been heard from in this locality that it will be found that Minor is a decidedly dead dog in Wood county.

The wonder of many who are intimately acquainted with Minor is that he has managed to hang on so long.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

If Mr. McKinley has no understanding with the powers operating in China, his actions are difficult to explain. Although advised by some of the longest headed men in his party, including the United States minister to China, to take advantage of the opportunity to withdraw our troops from China, now that the American citizens who were in peril are safe, and leave those nations which are hungry for Chinese territory to settle the squabble among themselves, he has declined to do so. Several days ago, when it was announced that all the troops now on the way to China would be sent to Manila, it was thought that he intended to follow that advice; but within forty-eight hours it had been officially announced that the troops in China would be kept there, and since then the significant announcement was made that the troops which would go to Manila would not go to take the place of volunteers to be sent home, but to reinforce them, and that no troops are to be sent home until further notice. If that doesn't indicate an intention on the part of Mr. McKinley to play a further hand in the Chinese game, what does it indicate?

Now that it has been authentically announced that ex-Senator Gorman, now at Saratoga, will return to Maryland about the middle of September and take an active part in the campaign until election day, those republicans who have been actively circulating stories of his lukewarmness towards Bryan and Stevenson must feel that they are very clumsy liars. It has never been doubted in Washington that Mr. Gorman would do his full duty towards the party that has honored him in the past and that is likely to honor him in the future.

Evidence continues to multiply showing that Illinois will be found in the democratic column this year. After expressing his opinion to that effect, W. H. Broad of Chicago said: "There are a number of reasons for believing this, but I am convinced that opposition to imperialism will have a greater influence in the undoing of the republicans than any of the other issues. There is a big German vote in Illinois, especially in Chicago, and the Germans, almost to a man, are opposed to the imperialistic policy of the present administration. There is also a very bitter factional fight among Illinois republicans, and although it doesn't come much to the surface, the feeling is so strong that it will be impossible for them to make a progressive and harmonious campaign in the state. Opposition to the trusts will also lose the republican ticket a good many votes, and with the labor troubles in Chicago and all the suffering that has resulted from them, the republican orators will find it difficult to convince the workingmen there that the country is blessed with an overabundance of prosperity."

That the democratic leaders are thoroughly posted on what the republicans are doing and are meeting every republican move, is made apparent by the following remarks of one of them: "Against the prosperity statistics which are being manufactured by the census bureau, we will place some hard facts which indicate that many classes of men who have to depend on their labor for a living are not prosperous. Take for instance the anthracite coal miners. The coal trust has cut down the number of work days so that miners are expected to live on three days work a week. This means that they are barely exist. In New England some of the cotton mills are shut down and others are running at half time. The silk mills of New Jersey are running on short time, and one of the silk manufacturing companies has, within the last week, gone into bankruptcy. We, the guilty parties are supposed to be at the table; instructor before you are seated and correct her mistakes after the meal is over and when you are with her alone."

Burglary at Port Edwards.—Sneak thieves entered the sleeping room of the Boarding house at Port Edwards on Tuesday and stole a gold watch, pair of pants and a razor. The guilty parties are supposed to be republicans have intimated they will give the country, that attention may be called to the money question. It may come at any time, and the small volume of trading in Wall street indicates a fear there that a money squeeze may be impending. When the west begins the moving of its crops and calls upon the east for money to do with, and if coincidentally a Russian or any other European loan should be placed, making drafts upon our gold supply, a very little artificial encouragement would produce the "scare" which I think the republicans contemplate."

Representative Van Diver of Missouri has been investigating a cost of government by commission, under the McKinley administration. Owing to mixed systems of bookkeeping he has only partially succeeded, but he shows that more than two and a half millions of dollars have been directly appropriated for commissions, not including the Postal commission, the California Debris commission, or the Mississippi River commission. That the expenses of these various commissions have been much larger than the direct appropriations is certain, but the treasury gives no details. They are included in items which appear on the books as for "national defense," "miscellaneous" and "emergency," and which aggregate a total expenditure for the last fiscal year alone of within a fraction of twenty-two million dollars.

More About Grand Rapids.
The following from the Evening Wisconsin by their staff reporter, who accompanied the merchants and manufacturers on their excursion through here, will give some idea of how they sized up this neck of the woods:

THE NEKOOSA MILLS.

The citizens of Grand Rapids, which has recently consolidated with Centralia to the extent of swallowing up the latter city, took the train down to Nekoosa, seven miles from the city, where is located the Nekoosa Paper company's immense establishment. This mill turns out fifty tons of print and manilla paper a day and is just now enlarging its capacity, so great are the demands made upon it. A handsome brick storehouse has been erected at the north end and the entire establishment covers several acres of ground. The cost of the material used in this mill in one year is placed at \$531,000. Grand Rapids has a population of 6,000 and the magnificent rapids, which engineers estimate as capable of developing 10,000 horsepower, are the city's pride. The Wisconsin river is extremely picturesque at this point and in many instances suggests the scenic landscape of Kilbourn City. Grand Rapids is a manufacturing place. Its pulp mills are continuously busy. The John Edwards Manufacturing company turns out forty tons of print paper a day, the Centralia Pulp & Water Power company twenty-five and the Pioneer Wood Pulp company thirty tons. These plants average a monthly pay roll of \$25,000. Then there is the Oberbeck Bros. Manufacturing company, employing 100 hands in the making of furniture, with a monthly pay roll of \$2,800. The hub factory of the F. MacKinnon Manufacturing company employs seventy hands, with a monthly pay roll of \$2,000. It purchases timber annually to the amount of \$20,000. Then there are the Grand Rapids Lumber company, the Grand Rapids Foundry company, the Grand Rapids Pressed Brick company, the Grand Rapids Table company, the Jackson Milling company, the Centralia Lumber company, and many others. There is the hub of industry in this thriving town through which the great Wisconsin river meanders so lavishly.

AT GRAND RAPIDS.

The following gentlemen met the train at Grand Rapids and accompanied the visitors on a drive through the principal portions of the town: Mayor B. R. Goggins, John Parish, E. P. Arpin, Nels Johnson, Gus Otto and L. M. Nash. B. F. McMillan of Marshfield accompanied the party to Grand Rapids and told many interesting anecdotes of pioneer days in this region. He pointed out the Wisconsin river's course as he knew it in 1860, when rafting provided the most approved means of transportation. Mr. McMillan is a good roads advocate and he has evidently imbued Grand Rapids and Marshfield citizens with the necessity of vital improvement for both cities present many examples of good roads. "Why, I would feel ashamed of myself to erect a fine dwelling and sod a lawn and then forget to look out onto the street in front of my property," he said. "And if my next door neighbor refused to fall into line I would just the same. All that we need in these parts is fondness of macadam and our roads can not be excelled."

Training a Waitress.

"In selecting a waitress choose one who is tall, slender, and light and easy in her motions, rather than a large or a very small woman," writes Mrs. S. T. Rorer, in the September Ladies' Home Journal. "Insist upon her wearing a washable dress, protected by a large white apron with long, broad strings. Show her how to care for her hands, providing her with the necessities. Arrange to have her arrive in the afternoon so that during the evening you may begin instructions. Then give her a general idea of the way in which you desire to have your meals served. Show her where the china, silver, linen, etc., are kept, and instruct her in the methods of caring for them all. Arrange the table for breakfast and tell her exactly at what hour you want breakfast served and in what order. Follow the same routine each day, and serve the family in the same manner as guests, otherwise you may be mortified when guests are present. Start right, and give time after each lesson to have it repeated, then train the waitress, correcting any little error after the meal, never at the table; neither should you give her orders at the table; instructor before you are seated and correct her mistakes after the meal is over and when you are with her alone."

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ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

For the fair to be held at Wausau, Sept. 4, 5, 6 and 7, sell excursion tickets at \$1.50 for round trip. Return Sept. 8.

Willie Semrow is able to be about again and play with his companions. John should be placed, making drifts upon our gold supply, a very little artificial encouragement would produce the "scare" which I think the republicans contemplate."

Mrs. Steve Pevenski died last evening at her home on the west side. She was thirty-five years old and leaves a husband and two children. The funeral will be held Monday from the Catholic church.

Little Pearl, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Verboeckhoen of Port Edwards, died on Tuesday last of typhoid fever. Mr. Verboeckhoen who has been seriously sick with the same disease is reported recovering.

Walter Coulthart had his right shoulder blade broken and was otherwise bruised in a runaway last night. He was returning to his home in the town of Sigel and had his little brother with him and while trying to save the little fellow he was himself hurt.

Charles Briere, Frank Poinainville and Harry Little have been camping down the river near Sailor's rock during the past week. Charley Briere landed a 9-pound pike during their stay, which, so far as we can learn, is about the largest fish of this species that has been caught in this neighborhood.

G. Bruderli sent three pairs of fancy chickens and a pair of Belgian hares to the Stevens Point fair. The chickens were Silver Laced Wyandottes, Buff Cochins and Leghorns. Dr. V. P. Norton also took over a trio each of Langshans, Buff Cochins and White Plymouth Rocks.

The department of agriculture has issued a bulletin on the mosquito. It says there are 250 different species of this well known insect, but that only thirty-nine of them are found in the United States. Verily, we have much to be thankful for. We had supposed that the entire mosquito family was well represented right in this city.

Needed Republican: Prof. A. P. Hirzy, the German optician, made his first professional visit to Needed this week. All who had the pleasure of meeting Mr. Hirzy found him a pleasant and genial gentleman. He carries excellent credentials as to his ability and standing as an optician. He is to make monthly visits here.

John Lindahl and Martin Hanson leave on Monday for Shantytown, where they go to prepare for next winter's logging operations. They have between three and four million feet to log and they will commence operations on the 10th of September with about twenty-five men, which number will be increased later on.

The great success of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in the treatment of bowel complaints has made it standard over the greater part of the civilized world. For sale by Johnson & Hill Co., druggists.

Amherst Advocate: The Wolf River Telephone company has recently perfected arrangements to connect at Waupaca with the Union Telephone company, which runs to Almond, Grand Rapids, Stevens Point, Plainfield, Hancock, Wautoma and other towns in that portion of the state. The Union people have 1,200 'phones in use.

A party of fourteen young people took a ride out to Frank Whitrock's place on Saturday night and judging by reports they had a good time. Mr. Whitrock says he carried out just three bushels of melon rinds next morning and we understand that several of the party haven't had the nerve to look a melon in the face since the transaction.

James Vaughan, Ray Love, Harry Pierce, Dr. Waters, Frank Rapp and Al Sutor made a trip up river last Sunday with the full purpose of capturing bass. There were six fishermen and they caught five fish all told, but each claims to have caught two, so we do not know which is entitled to the most credit. It's an old saying that figures can't lie, but we don't remember of ever having heard this said by fishermen.

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TERMS very reasonable. No one should hesitate to apply. Patients treated successfully by mail. All communications from Wisconsin patients should be addressed to

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LEGAL NOTICES.

(First Publication 8-25-00)

Notice of Final Settlement.

Wood County Court—In Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of George S. Birn, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of

B. R. Goggins, administrator of the estate of George S. Birn, deceased, representing among other things that she has fully administered the said estate and praying that a time and place be fixed for examining and allowing her account of her administration and that the residue of the said estate be assigned to such persons as are by her directed to the same;

It is Ordered, That said application be heard before me at my office in the city of Grand Rapids, on the 2nd day of October, 1900, at 10 o'clock a.m.

And It Is Further Ordered, That notice of said application and hearing be given by publication of a copy of this order for three successive weeks in the Grand Rapids Tribune, a newspaper printed in said county, before the day fixed for said hearing.

Dated this 28th day of August, 1900.

By the Clerk,

JOHN A. GAYNOR,

County Judge.

J. W. COCHRAN, Attorney.

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LOCAL ITEMS.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Baker on Monday a boy.

Will Nash took in the fair at Stevens Point this week.

John Jeffreys drove to Junction City on Wednesday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ristow on Monday, a girl.

Miss Anna Oberbeck is visiting relatives in Chicago.

Miss Fannie Palmer is visiting with friends at Warrens.

Ed Bonham visited in New Lisbon the first of the week.

Miss Fern Miller visited with friends in Pittsville last week.

Ed Wheeler made a business trip to Marshfield on Thursday.

Arthur Sickles took in the fair at Stevens Point on Thursday.

D. Fawcett was in Plainfield the first of the week on business.

Miss Edith Lynn of Nekoosa was a visitor in the city on Thursday.

Will Gross was in Stevens Point this week in attendance at the fair.

Miss Helen Kromer attended the fair at Stevens Point on Thursday.

James McLaughlin of Babcock was in town Friday meeting his friends.

Photographer O. P. Menzel took in the Stevens Point fair on Thursday.

Mrs. J. E. Thomas of Nekoosa was in the city shopping on Wednesday.

Mrs. A. E. Keenan of Dexterville was in the city shopping on Monday.

T. A. Taylor and Wm. Scott visited the fair at Stevens Point on Thursday.

M. A. Egoeger attended the Stevens Point fair on Tuesday and Wednesday.

Attorney Frank A. Cady of Marshfield was in the city on business Tuesday.

Frank Vaughn went to Stevens Point on Wednesday to take in the fair.

Chas. Hahn, of Marshfield, transacted business here yesterday and today.

W. W. Hollipeter of Marshfield transacted business in the city Wednesday.

B. T. Worthington returned Thursday night from a week's trip in South Dakota.

Miss Maurine Johnson returns today from Algoma where she has been visiting.

Felix LaPoint of Marshfield shook hands with his friends in this city on Thursday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ross of Saratoga, a little daughter on Saturday last.

Len Lampert and Geo. Kinister, of Pittsville, were in the city on business Wednesday.

Miss Hannah Heidler of Marshfield was the guest of Miss Anna Oberbeck over Sunday.

F. E. Carey returned to Rhinelander today after a week's visit with his wife and parents.

Mrs. J. E. Cosley departed on Monday for an extended visit at Chicago and other points.

Miss Carrie Miller has accepted a position as bookkeeper in Spafford, Cole & Co.'s store.

Miss Mabel White of Pittsville has been the guest of Miss Elsie Marceau the past week.

Homer Estabrook of Devierterville drove over Thursday and transacted business in the city.

Mrs. E. S. Renou visited relatives in Stevens Point and took in the fair during the past week.

J. W. Cameron of Milwaukee is in the city today.

Miss Birdie Peers, of Merrill, is the guest of Miss Antelia Bardele.

Albert Bardele and Charles Lubeck returned from their Chicago trip today.

Den Gallagher left on Monday for a week's visit with his sister, Mrs. Peter LaBelle at Marshfield.

Mrs. Chas. Brown returned Saturday from an extended visit with relatives in Dawson, N. D.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Fleckenstein attended the Stevens Point fair Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. Geo. E. Hoskinson left on Wednesday for a few days' visit with friends at Manitowoc.

B. Metzger and wife went to Hortonville Saturday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Metzger's sister.

Mrs. E. C. Rossier left yesterday for Pittsville to spend a few days visiting with Mrs. Nash Mitchell.

Ed. Hahn and John Stierle of Marshfield are hunting chickens in the vicinity of Nekoosa.

Miss Lily Boyles of Wausau is visiting friends in the city. She expects to return home on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lindahl were in Stevens Point this week in attendance at the Portage county fair.

—FOR SALE—Windmill complete with pump and attachments. Apply to John Arpin Lumber Co.

Mrs. Will Raymond left for Bruce this morning where she will visit a few days with her husband.

Mrs. Ed Hayes left Monday night for Chicago, where she will enter a hospital for medical treatment.

Rev. J. A. Baynton and wife returned yesterday from their visit in the southern part of the state.

Frank Houston is visiting in the city. Mr. Houston has been making his home in Green Bay of late.

Miss Rose Wippertuan returned the first of the week from an extended visit with relatives in Chilton.

F. H. Burnham and W. H. Weber, of Chicago, came to the city Friday to hunt chickens with Gus Yonke.

Celia Burr and Arthur Jenkins left on Monday for Stevens Point, where they will attend the normal school.

Will Carey has been confined to his house by sickness during the past week, but is able to be about again.

Charley Podawitz departed on Thursday for Madison, where he expects to spend a week visiting friends.

F. Vincent of Hayton, Calumet Co., a brother of Sheriff Vincent, is the guest of the sheriff's family this week.

John Anderson, conductor on the Marshfield & Southeastern, visited with friends in the city over Sunday.

—FOR RENT—Four room house, on east side near Catholic church. Apply to John Arpin Lumber Co.

Wallace Demerle returned Saturday night, having been out as cornetist with the Fitz & Webster company.

Mrs. N. Schmitt and daughter, Miss Theresa, mother and sister of Mrs. M. A. Bogger, visited the family this week.

Dr. G. F. Witter has been in the city during the past week, visiting with his many old friends in this locality.

Mrs. J. McCann entertained her Sunday school class at her home Tuesday afternoon. Refreshments were served.

J. L. Whitney and daughter, Mrs. Wm. Scott, drove to Plover on Thursday and spent the day visiting with friends.

O. W. Ireland, manager of the Wisconsin department of the Bankers' Life association, was in the city on Monday and settled the life insurance of the late E. B. Brundage, amounting to \$2,000.

County Clerk Reeves has issued about 250 hunting licenses up to date. The prospects are that there will be about the same number taken out as last year.

Mrs. Mamie Hook of Junction City was brought to the city on Sunday to receive medical treatment. She is stopping at the home of her brother, Frank Yetter.

Stephen Drake, of Saratoga, and Miss Grace Blitcher, of Rome, were married in this city Friday morning by the Rev. F. A. Nimitz at the Methodist parsonage.

Misses Neile and Jennie Jonbert, of Glen Falls, N. Y., are guests at the home of W. H. Cochran. They arrived Thursday night and will make an extended visit.

Jeweler W. G. Scott has moved into the store building formerly occupied by him and will have a nice place, when he gets settled down, with an abundance of room.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Williams of Milwaukee were in the city on Tuesday. They left for Bruce where they will visit for a time with their daughter, Mrs. A. M. Arpin.

Miss Mary McMillian leaves today for Marshfield where she has accepted a position again in the public schools. Miss Lida Lessig also teaches there again the coming year.

Through a typographical error we were made to state last week that the protected term on quail ran out this day. This is not a fact as the date should be September, 1901.

D. D. Compton had an exhibition a very large egg plant that was raised at Riverdale Seed farm. This is a vegetable that is not raised much in this section of the country.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Willard of Chicago visited with their son, Baby Earl, last Thursday at the home of Mrs. John Russell, they having placed him in her care for the past year.

Rev. Homer W. Carter, secretary of the Wisconsin Home Missionary society, will occupy the pulpit of First Congregational church on Sunday, Sept. 9, morning and evening.

—WANTED—A good reliable boy or young man to drive express wagon.

Enquire J. A. Jaeger for further particulars.

August Zirbel, of the town of Port Edwards, was a caller at the Tribune office this morning, being in town on business.

Court Reporter R. W. Morse returned to the city on Saturday, having spent the past two months at his home in Lancaster.

Messrs. Will and George Schroedel will leave Monday for the Dells for a week's outing. They will make the trip by boat.

Miss Clara Bisnah, of Oshkosh, spent a couple of days in the city this week the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Frank Pomainville.

C. E. Boles has accepted a position as principal of schools at Alma Center and will start in on his duties on September 10.

Alfred Ennis and son, Clarence, of the east side are down with typhoid fever. A daughter of Mr. Ennis is also quite ill.

Mrs. John Reiter died at Rudolph on Monday and was buried on Thursday. She leaves a husband and several children.

Mrs. John Hollmuller returned Monday night from Milwaukee, where she had spent a week receiving medical treatment.

Mattie and Frank Dudley return today from Merrill, where they have been visiting their grandmother, Mrs. Sarah Dudley.

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Mrs. S. H. Smart and her mother, Mrs. H. H. Parker of Pipestone, Minn., left on Tuesday for a visit with friends in Arcola, Ill. They expect to be absent until about the first of October.

The entertainment at opera house Wednesday evening entitled "Where is Cobb?" was well attended and the people who were present spent a very mirthful time. All pronounced it a very good show.

Miss Hattie Pickett of Marshfield was in the city Wednesday and Thursday on business. Miss Pickett was also looking over our library and familiarizing herself with the methods in vogue there.

J. B. Arpin went south on Monday to where the Arpin & Cross dredging machine is at work. The machine cuts about twenty rods of ditch a day, fourteen feet wide and an average depth of three feet.

Miss Minnie Helmold, who has been employed in the dry goods department at Johnson & Hill Co.'s for several years, departed Thursday for Tomahawk, where she has secured a position in a large store.

J. J. Canning, who left here on the 15th for Prince Edward's island, has written that he arrived in Boston all right and was going to spend a week there visiting relatives, after which he would start on his sea voyage.

The mill at Milladore that is being run by Ed. Lynch will finish the season's cut some time next month and it will foot up to about three million feet. A new 35 horse power engine is being placed in the planing mill.

Arthur Doud of Winona, Minn., a nephew of A. M. Muir, is a guest at Mr. Muir's home, expecting to spend a couple of weeks in the city. R. T. Doud is expected today to spend a time in the city visiting Mr. Muir.

Miss Edna Bacon of Defauy arrived in the city on Tuesday and has since been the guest of Supt. and Mrs. Lew. Miss Bacon leaves today for Marshfield where she has accepted a position as teacher in the public schools.

On Monday the horse that draws the U. S. express wagon about town went off on another rampage and in consequence they are using another wagon for the delivery of goods while the former delivery wagon is undergoing a thorough rebuild.

Ed. Lynch returned on Monday from Cheshire, Mass., where he had conveyed the remains of his aunt, Mrs. Sarah McCaffrey, who died at Montello, Wis. On his way home he was joined by Mrs. Lynch who has been visiting in Montana.

Charles Briere made a trip to his cranberry marsh on Tuesday evening as the indications were that there would be a frost that night. They were prepared for the worst, however, and although the thermometer went down to 39, there was no frost.

Messrs. MacKinnon and King left on Wednesday for Fond du Lac where they went as delegates to the convention held for the election of a coadjutor bishop. The people in this section are in favor of Father Weller of Stevens Point for the new office.

—Loved by the people, hated by its would-be rivals: the foe of disease, the friend of humanity—Rocky Mountain Tea, made by the Madison Medicine Co. Johnson & Hill Co., druggists.

Sheriff Vincent arrived home from Montana on Sunday with Jacob Schwartzrock, who was wanted on a charge of adultery. Schwartzrock is from Nekoosa and is now in jail awaiting his examination. His partner in crime is Anna Fitz who is now serving a term.

Dr. Charles Pomainville and Ed. Whitney returned from Chicago on Wednesday, having been down taking in the sights incident to the national encampment. The doctor also attended a meeting of the Delta Sigma Delta, a fraternity of which he is a member.

W.H. Kickland, one of the young men arrested at Stevens Point charged with breaking into the house of Mrs. Hannah Booth at McDill last Friday, is a Marshfield boy, he being well known there, having served with Co. A, 2d Regt. during the war with Spain.

Frank Whitrock brought us in a couple of nice sweet watermelons on Wednesday which ought to be a joy to anyone even if he is not as hungry as the average editor is reported to be. Whitrock says they are the only genuine Whitrock species, all others being base imitations.

—Dr. Chas. Pomainville, Dentist, Office over J. A. Cohen's store, Grand Rapids, Wis.

Mrs. Henry Fisher was greatly surprised by her neighbors and friends on Tuesday evening, the occasion being her birthday. Refreshments were served and all had a jolly time.

Miss Margaret Nash, who has been at Kinnelander, was in the city Tuesday and Wednesday visiting friends. She left Thursday for Wausau where she will attend business college.

Mrs. John Merklein and son and Miss Lizzie Peters of Wausau, who have been visiting at the home of Mrs. N. Pepin the past two weeks, returned to their home this week.

Louis Laemie one of Marshfield's prominent business men, was in the city on Thursday to see Gitchell & Lubeck about a contract for the plumbing in his new store building.

Amherst Advocate: Mrs. Mollie Wilson and Miss Emma Nelson are at Grand Rapids to be present at the marriage of their brother, Wm. Nelson of Merrill, to Miss Clara Rablin.

District Deputy A. McAllister of the Mystery Workers, who has been in the city the past three weeks, departed on Monday for Reedsville, after having added ten new members to the local lodge.

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CARTWRIGHT IS BURNED.

Fire Sweeps a Little Town Near Chippewa Falls.

LUMBERYARDS SAVED.

Warehouse, Three Mills and a Number of Stores and Dwellings Burned.

Chippewa Falls, Wis., Aug. 29. [Special.] The fire destroyed the business portion of Cartwright, a village of 400 inhabitants, twenty-four miles northwest of this city in Chippewa county. Neighboring towns were called upon for assistance to fight the fire and fire engines, and men were immediately sent there from this city and towns lying on the Onida division of the Milwaukee road. Among the buildings that were burned are C. E. Bitney & Son's feedmill and warehouse, a planingmill and dooryard and a number of stores and dwelling houses. The fire was headed off so that the lumberyards were saved from destruction.

The fire started in the warehouse of H. W. Lebell and, spreading, burned the sawmill, planingmill and lumber shed of C. E. Bitney, Thomas Mellen's gristmill, the Le Bell general merchandise store and two barns. A telephone message to this city says that the fire was gotten under control at midnight. The town has no fire protection, but citizens turned a bucket brigade and saved it from total destruction.

Mr. Bitney's loss is placed at \$2000, insurance \$1000; Lebell's loss is about \$2000, insurance \$1000; Mellen's loss is about \$1500, insurance \$1000. Other losses are placed at about \$1000. The fire started at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. First report was greatly exaggerated.

SUSPECT IN TOILS.

Man at Dubuque, Ia., Thought to be Implicated in Double Murder.

Platteville, Wis., Aug. 29. [Special.] Fred Earl, the Platteville boy, who was with Guy Shethian and Henry Speth of this city shortly before the murder of the latter two came to light, was arrested last night at Dubuque, Ia. Marshal Sam Shethian of this city will leave for Dubuque tomorrow to be present at the preliminary hearing of the suspected man.

Earl is about 24 years old, and his parents reside here. He served during the Spanish-American war as a private. His whereabouts since the murder have been a conundrum to the police both of this city and of Iowa.

Dubuque, Ia., Aug. 29. [Special.] Fred Earl of Dubuque, suspected of the murder of Guy Shethian and Henry Speth of Platteville at Sayville, Mo., July 22, was arrested here last night by the local police. The bodies of the victims were found near railroad tracks with bullet holes in the back of their heads.

The evidence against Earl is that he was seen with the murdered men a short time before the murder. The Missouri authorities learning this, sent photographs and descriptions of him to the Spanish-American war as a private. His whereabouts since the murder have been a conundrum to the police both of this city and of Iowa.

Before the young man left for Missouri they were in Dubuque, and left here with a sum of money in their pockets.

LEAPED FOR LIFE.

Kaukauna Trainman Jumps from Car Falling from a High Trestle.

Kaukauna, Wis., Aug. 29.—Warren Crane, a switchman for the Chicago & North-Western Railroad company, took a leap of twenty-five feet yesterday and escaped with only a slight sprain in one of his feet. Mr. Crane was on the top of a freight car, which was being pushed on the high trestle at the company's coal sheds. The car was partly run off the back end of the trestle by being crowded too far, and was just on the point of balancing over when he made his leap to escape the greater danger of falling with the car. The car did not leave the track, however, being held from falling by the coupling and the weight of the train. The wrecking crew had to be employed to pull it back and one set of tracks had to be removed in order to right the car.

MENASHA BOY DROWNS.

Sixteen-Year-Old Lad Ventures Too Far from Shore.

Menasha, Wis., Aug. 29. [Special.] John Wrzesinski, the 16-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Walecki Wrzesinski, Milwaukee street, was drowned yesterday afternoon at about 3:30 o'clock near the railroad bridge of the Wisconsin Central railroad. Young Wrzesinski was employed at the factory of the Menasha Woodpecker company. At the close of his day's work he, with four other boys, went to the canal for a swim. The unfortunate lad was not a good swimmer and he had not gone more than ten feet from shore when his strength gave out. He called out once or twice and sank to the bottom. His companions at once gave the alarm to the bridge-keeper and in a short time a steamer was being made for the body. Several men dived repeatedly and several boats with grappling hooks were used. After searching about two hours Officer Flint, who was dredging, found the body.

FOUND A BIG SKELETON.

Excavators at Kaukauna Make Another Find of Indian Relics.

Kaukauna, Wis., Aug. 29. [Special.] Foreman Erskine Bailey at the United States government drydock basin, which is being excavated here, yesterday unearthed more Indian skeletons and relics. Amongst these was one of the largest skeletons. Mr. Bailey has, however, also several copper arrow heads and a small copper plate. The 16-year-old boy has added to his already large collection and the Indian bone were handed over to him in another spot.

APPEAL THE CASE.

City of Marinette Wants the Tax Levy Equated.

Marinette, Wis., Aug. 29. [Special.] The city has filed a suit of appeal from the county tax as fixed by the county board in 1890. The city will have a commission to equalize the value for 1890. The city has won on the valuations of 1890 and 1898, having its tax reduced about \$10,000 for these two years.

The town of Peshtigo has appealed to the Supreme court in each case.

NOT TOO OLD TO BE MARRIED.

Groom of 75 Years Takes a Bride at Prairie du Sac.

Baraboo, Wis., Aug. 29. [Special.] Charles Payne and Mrs. Julia Durkee were married last evening at the residence of Miles Keyes at Prairie du Sac. The groom is 75 and the bride is ten years his junior and both have resided at Prairie du Sac for almost half a century. Over one year ago the groom celebrated his golden wedding by his former wife, who died shortly after.

STATE FAIR A WINNER.

Letters Received by the Officers Indicate Fine Exhibits and Large Attendance.

Milwaukee, Wis., Aug. 29. [Special.] That the forthcoming State fair will be a big success is not only predicted, but it is assured. What should it not be? The farmers have had bountiful harvests, they are securing remunerative prices for their stock, the factories and mills are running, giving employment to skilled and unskilled labor, and the iron industry is prosperous. As a consequence the people can afford to visit the fair, which in point of attractions will surpass any previous fair given in Wisconsin.

Military day will bring 5000 or 6000 persons alone to see the infantry, artillery and cavalry in camp and going through evolutions, dress parade, prize drills, guard mounting and cavalry and company drill. Letters received from the country promise that these companies will have full complements of officers and men, and the city companies are not behind in enthusiasm nor will they be in attendance with officers and men.

STATE PRESS INTERESTED.

The grand athletic carnival, to which almost a whole day will be devoted, will be the most successful in point of number of events and high class of competitors that has ever occurred in the North west.

Bart J. Riddle, State fair press agent, is securing letters from the press all over the state, and the writers are almost unanimous in their work for the fair, and they all report great enthusiasm among the people, and predict a greater attendance than has ever been known at a fair in Wisconsin.

John M. Tracy, secretary of the state board, reports that the entries are more than satisfactory, both in numbers and character surpassing any previous fair.

The president of the board, George McKenna, is securing letters by the bushel illustrating the support of the people throughout this and adjoining states. Mr. McKenna has paid a visit to the Iowa state fair in the interest of that of Wisconsin, and the result will be a drowning in the river Saturday evening. He was taken with cramps while swimming.

Tom Chaire, Wis., Aug. 27. [Special.] The body of Arthur Bonn, aged 15, was found in the Dells reservoir Sunday morning. The lad had gone in swimming, leaving his clothes on the bank nearby.

A ROWBOAT CAPSIZES.

Four Members of Quade Family at Kaukauna Drown.

Baraboo, Wis., Aug. 27. [Special.] Father and His Little Daughter Cling to the Overturned Boat and Are Saved.

Kaukauna, Wis., Aug. 27. [Special.] A terrible disaster overtook the family of Henry Quade here yesterday afternoon when his wife and three of his sons were drowned in the river by the overturning of a boat. Quite a number of German families were holding a picnic and "fish fry" just below town on the bank of Fox river, where the accident occurred. Mr. Quade was taking part of his family out for a boatride, having in the boat his wife, a daughter and three sons, when in trying to change seats the boat turned over and threw them all into the water. All sank to the bottom. The little daughter, Elsie, clung to her father and when they came to the surface Mr. Quade caught hold of the overturned boat and thus saved himself and daughter. Those drowned were: MRS. MATILDA QUADE, aged 33 years; HAROLD QUADE, aged 10 years; WILLIE QUADE, aged 8 years; FREDDIE QUADE, aged 6 years.

Men who witnessed the accident hastened to the assistance of Mr. Quade and the little girl. Mrs. Quade's body was soon found, but those of the children were probably carried some distance by the current, which is strong at that point.

The oldest daughter of the unfortunate family is Annie, a girl of 11 years of age, who remained on the shore to care for the baby boy, aged 3 months, and her youngest sister, aged 3 years.

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CARRIED OFF SILKS.

Madison Store Is Robbed of \$1000 Worth of Merchandise.

Madison, Wis., Aug. 27. [Special.] Silk thieves entered the New York store last night and got away with \$1000 worth of black silks. The thieves are supposed to be Chicago crooks. There is no clue to them, except that three strangers were seen on the street after midnight, a block from the store.

John Hammel, an aged and well-to-do farmer from Spencer, Ia., who came to Madison with an excursion Sunday, was robbed of \$100 cash and a draft for \$200 by pickpockets who came on the train. He is an uncle of John Hammel of Milwaukee, and the latter came to his relief, the old gentleman being left stranded here.

La Crosse, Wis., Aug. 27. [Special.] An organized gang of professional silk thieves looted Von's dry goods store of \$1000 worth of silk last night.

The same gang visited St. Paul, DuPage, Cedar Rapids, Des Moines and other river towns.

Some time between Saturday night and this morning they entered L. C. Oren's store. Lights burned in the store both nights and the steal was made in spite of the fact that the city police regularly pass the store during the night, and Hunt's detectives regularly try the doors and examine the windows. They got in through the basement window. They left no trace behind.

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Baraboo, Wis., Aug. 27. [Special.] Peter Wilkinson, aged 61, a resident of Baraboo for fifty years, died of cancer of the stomach.

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THROWN FORTY FEET.

Section Man Struck by a Train at Joliette and Killed.

Jamesville, Wis., Aug. 27. [Special.] William Schneiders, a section man, was standing on the North-Western track this morning and did not notice the approach of the fast northbound train. He was struck and thrown forty feet. Both of his legs were broken and his ribs were crushed in. He died before he could be taken home.

Three Lakes, Wis., Aug. 27. [Special.] John Doll, a laborer at the Bill Lake Lumber company's mill, two miles south of this place, was run over and instantly killed by passenger train No. 27 early Sunday morning. He had evidently been drinking and fell asleep on the railway track on his way home.

SCARLET FEVER SCARE.

Spread of the Disease in the City of La Crosse.

La Crosse, Wis., Aug. 29. [Special.] The city is looking with apprehension at the spread of scarlet fever in the east portion of the town. There are already several cases, all very mild; but in another locality it is more severe. The latest case is in the family of A. H. Mitchell.

New Depot for Grand Rapids.

Grand Rapids, Wis., Aug. 29. [Special.] The officials of the Chicago & North-Western railway arrived here to day in a special coach to make arrangements for the building of a new depot and the purchase of grounds. They decided to build a depot on the east side of the river, provided they were given the right of way and grounds.

REVERSED THE Verdict.

Marinette, Wis., Aug. 29. [Special.] A year ago George Stadler obtained a judgment for \$1000 against the Marinette Lumber Company for the loss of a log in the mill. The Supreme court has reversed the verdict on the ground that the plaintiff assumed the risk when he left the employment.

Railway Gang on a Strike.

Baraboo, Wis., Aug. 29. [Special.] A gang of eight bridge carpenters employed by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway company, receiving \$2 per day, struck for \$2.25 per day. Another gang of men will take their place at once.

NEW Postmaster at Coffey.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 27. [Special.] Charles Richard has been appointed postmaster at Coffey, Chippewa county, vice Victor Roseau, resigned.

MAKE DEMAND FOR DAMAGES.

City of Kenosha will Have a Number of Heavy Suits on Hand.

Kenosha, Wis., Aug. 27. [Special.] Thomas Waudreyka of La Crosse, Wis., this morning, through his attorney, filed with the city clerk a notice that he would demand damages from the city of Kenosha on account of injuries received on the evening of August 11 by the explosion of a gasoline tank in the saloon of Henry Back. The complaint alleges that the gasoline tank which was the cause of the explosion was placed in the alley back of the saloon with the consent of the city council and that a pipe connected it with the building. The La Crosse man makes no specific demand, but it is stated by attorney that he will demand \$10,000 for the injuries received. The suit is of great importance, as it is only the forerunner of a large number of other suits that will be filed against the city within the next few days. Six men were injured by the explosion and all will demand damages from the city. Property to the extent of \$5000 was destroyed and the owners will bring suits to recover. Henry Back died as the result of injuries received.

The city officials are making elaborate arrangements to fight the suits and the best legal talent of the state will be employed.

NAMES WOMAN HUMANE AGENT.

Mrs. Mary M. Dickens of Wausau Named for Marathon County.

Madison, Wis., Aug. 27. [Special.] Gov. Seelye has made a new departure in the appointment of a woman as county humane agent, Mrs. Mary M. Dickens having received the appointment at Wausau. L. Blake Hurley is appointed agent for Brown county. Both appointments were made on the recommendation of R. D. Whitehead of Milwaukee, superintendent of the Wisconsin Humane society.

CLERGY IN RETREAT.

Twenty-five Episcopal Ministers of Fond du Lac Diocese to Participate.

Fond du Lac, Wis., Aug. 27. [Special.] Twenty-five of the clergymen of the Episcopal diocese of Fond du Lac will attend the retreat which will commence this evening at 7:30 o'clock and continue till Thursday. The first meditation will be held at 7:30 o'clock and will be followed by private prayer. Communion service will be held at 9 o'clock. The clergymen will sleep at Gratton hall and meals will be served at Parish house during the retreat. The daily service will be as follows: After early mass, 10 o'clock and opened with a Missa Cantata mass, which will

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— A few years ago a bullfight took place in Mexico, the torero being mounted on a bicycle. The rider, Manuel Garela by name, was so badly injured that he died soon afterward.

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YESPER.

A merry crowd assembled at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Hassler on Tuesday evening to celebrate the marriage of Miss Anna Hassler and Jacob Bond. Something like two hundred and fifty people were present to participate in the festivities and the fun was kept going until a late hour next morning. There was dancing and liquid refreshments, and supper was served, and it was a supper that was worthy the name. The young couple will reside in Vesper, where Mr. Bond will erect a residence in the near future. The Tribune wishes with the many friends of the newly wedded pair in wishing them happiness in their journey through life.

Adam Johnson of the Minneapolis Bridge Co. is here this week putting in 5 bridges in the town of Vesper. He has finished the bridge here across the Menominee, and has gone to put one at Pablo's, and one on the road east from Cahill's switch.

Jesse Hess and Maggie Ledger were married Monday evening at the home of the Justice of the Peace, F. W. Merritt. They will go to housekeeping in the house recently erected by Jesse in his place. They have the best wishes of all.

Samuel Hoyton is visiting his brothers, Fred and Elias, and his sister, Mrs. J. H. Grindale, at New Lisbon. This is his first visit to that section for twenty-five years.

T. J. Evans went down home last Saturday on business connected with his hardware store. It is rumored that he expects to remove his stock of goods to some other place.

The ice cream social given last Saturday evening brought in nearly \$5. Another will be given Sept. 8th and the ladies hope to see everybody turn out.

Mike Cahill is rapidly pushing his house to completion. He expects soon to have it ready for the plasterer and the painter.

E. Jackson and wife of Big Bend, Wis., are visiting the family of J. P. Sanders.

John Petersea went down to Dover this week.

MARSHFIELD ITEMS.

Lawyer Wheelan, of Grand Rapids, came up Monday to look after the belongings of Schultz, the piano man, who is in jail at that place for being caught out with another man's wife. The property consists of a horse and buggy and was left in McMullen's livery barn when Schultz left here. Mr. Wheelan says the jail is crowded and in nearly every case a woman is at the bottom of it.

P. N. Christensen had an exciting time one night last week while driving home with his wife and family. He had a team of colts hitched to his buggy and they became frightened and ran away and when Mr. Christensen attempted to stop them he was knocked down and the family thrown from the rig. They escaped without injury, however.

Preparations are in progress for the new armory which will soon be completed. It is proposed to devote two evenings to the opening process, on the first of which there will be a promenade concert and the next a dance. The hall will be elaborately decorated and the Second Regiment band will furnish the music.

John Freund died last Sunday evening from an abscess on his lung. He leaves a wife and four children. The funeral was held Tuesday from the Lutheran church.

Rasmus J. Erickson left last Saturday for his old home in Denmark. He has lived in the United States nineteen years and this is his first visit to the fatherland. He may decide to remain there.

Philip Adler and Charles Linstner have returned from their European trip. They visited the Paris exposition and many other places of interest and altogether had a very pleasant journey.

The Marshfield Maennerchor will have a picnic on Sunday and a big time is looked for. A dancing floor has been built for the occasion.

CRANMOOR.

Mr. and Mrs. Whittlesey and their cousin Miss Wadsworth of Chicago spent some very pleasant days the last week visiting friends and sight seeing at Neekoosa, Port Edwards and Grand Rapids.

Mr. Willis Whittaker, of Texas took his departure on the Sunday evening train after visiting some days with W. H. Fitch and family.

Mrs. Timothy Foley and children came home on the five p. m. train Monday from a visit of one week with Tomah relatives.

A. E. Bennett and party returned from their trip down the river last Saturday evening and report a very enjoyable time.

Miss Madge Silverthorn and brother of Wausau arrived on the noon train Thursday and are guests of Miss Dorothy Fitch.

Miss Alice Wadsworth, guest of the Whittlesey family, left for her Chicago home Wednesday noon.

H. E. Fitch and A. J. Boyles of Neekoosa were visitors at the W. H. Fitch home Sunday.

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ARPIN.

The sawmill at this place will begin this season's cut in about five weeks, this being the earliest that the cut has ever been disposed of. The amount of lumber turned out this season is between fifteen and sixteen million feet. After repairs and the usual overhauling the establishment will be started up again.

A firm from Chicago has had a representative here of late looking over the ground with a view to putting in a creamery and cheese factory as soon as there are enough cows to warrant the investment. They want the milk from at least two hundred cows before the venture will be considered a paying one.

The road between this village and Ashland is undergoing a thorough repair and when completed will prove a great benefit to travelers between the two towns.

Henry Kastner, who occupies the position of grader here, has been sick during the past two weeks. He is back to work again.

John Pospisiel and S. D. Newell expect to put in the day on Sunday hunting prairie chickens.

Mrs. Julia Passer has been engaged to teach the Arpin school during the ensuing year.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Z. Arpin spent Sunday at Grand Rapids, visiting friends and relatives.

Marta Bever spent Sunday last at his home in Sherry, visiting his parents.

Mrs. Fred Mess visited relatives at Marshfield during the past week.

A. Mess of Marshfield was in town Tuesday selling medicine.

O. Okoneski will spend Sunday with his parents at Wausau.

NEKOOSA.

C. W. Steibley of Kaukanna, Willis Baab, Dr. and Mrs. Meeker of Appleton arrived in Neekoosa last evening in quest of the festive prairie chicken. They were joined at Grand Rapids by E. B. Garrison and the party will be entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Thomas.

Miss Katherine Treat went to Meadow Valley last Tuesday, after a nine weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. J. E. Thomas. Miss Gertrude Treat left for Tomah on Tuesday, after a two weeks' visit at the same residence.

Miss Ruth Stewart returned to her home at St. Paul yesterday after spending two weeks here. She was accompanied as far as Marshfield by her aunt, Mrs. G. C. Hyde.

A. E. Lapham and L. Guthiel went to Green Bay last Wednesday and from there will take a boat trip to Sault Ste. Marie. They will be gone about a week.

Miss Mamie Corcoran was in Neekoosa last Wednesday and on her return was accompanied by Miss Lillian Boyles who will remain several days.

Misses Nellie Steib and Mamie Daly of Grand Rapids and Miss Lydia Heilman of Merrill were guests of Miss Gertrude Treat on Monday last.

Walter Graves departed last night for Cashton, where he will assist the Grand Rapids base ball nine in a game against Cashton.

The family of Clarence Hanover arrived this week and are busily engaged in settling, having rented the Grignon house.

Miss Emma Slagle of Westfield arrived in the village last Monday and is now clerking at the L. Guthiel store.

George and J. E. Fenner of Westfield arrived last evening and are guests of A. E. Gurdy for a few days.

Miss Nellie Steib, Miss Shedd and Misses Stingerland and Denis were Neekoosa visitors on Thursday evening.

A seven pound daughter arrived last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lapham.

Mrs. A. E. Gurdy returned Wednesday from a two weeks' visit at Wausau.

GENERAL COUNTY.

C. E. Blodgett, of Marshfield, has received another consignment of valuable blooded stock, the latest purchase being 31 fine shorthorns from Iowa. He has now the best herd of shorthorns in Wisconsin. An immense round barn will at once be built on the farm for their better accommodation. It will contain all the latest devices, with good light and ventilation.

Pittsville Pilot: G. H. Schlegel, Monday purchased the Pittsville Milling Co.'s plant in this city of L. L. Doud, and will start the same up in full force next Monday morning. Mr. Schlegel has had charge of the mill for the past few years and will look after the business in person. By the location of this mill hege the farmers are enabled to get their grist ground at home.

The two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Miller of Bethel died on Sunday morning after a short illness. The funeral was held in the academy Chapel Monday afternoon, Elder T. B. Snow conducting the services.

Mrs. Fred Vollmar and H. F. Bell of Marshfield sold the minor farm of six forty acres on Tuesday to A. H. Graves of Adams county for \$5,500.

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Society and Club Notices.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Catholic church will meet in their rooms over Spafford, Cole & Lipke's store every Wednesday afternoon.

The Ladies' Aid society of the M. E. church of the west side will meet on Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. R. E. McFarland.

The Ladies' Aid society of the M. E. church will meet next Wednesday afternoon at the church parlors.

The Ladies' Aid society of the First Congregational church will meet next Wednesday with Mrs. Shaw.

M. W. K. club will meet next Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. R. M. Beeson.

St. Katherine's Guild will meet next Friday at 2:30, with Mrs. Geo. E. Hoskinson.

The Woman's Historical and Literary society will meet next Monday evening, Sept. 3, with Mrs. A. M. Muir.

The Clover Leaf Club will meet next Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Sweetman.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the M. E. church will meet with Mrs. Theodore Lipke on Friday afternoon. Business of importance will be conducted, election of officers, and opening of mite boxes. All members are requested to be present.

The ladies of the Congregational church will be "At Home" with Mrs. E. B. Rossier on Thursday evening, Sept. 6, from 7 to 10 o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended to everyone.

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Wonderful Cure of Diarrhoea.

A prominent Virginia editor had almost given up, but was brought back to perfect health by Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. Read his editorial from the Times, Hillside, Va.: I suffered with diarrhoea for a long time and thought I was past being cured. I had spent much time and money and suffered so much misery that I had almost decided to give up all hopes of recovery and await the result, but noticing the advertisement of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and also some testimonials stating how some wonderful cures have been wrought by this remedy, I decided to try it. After taking a few doses I was entirely well of that trouble, and I wish to say further to my readers and fellow-sufferers that I am a Hale and hearty man today and feel as well as I ever did in my life.—O. R. Moore. Sold by Johnson & Hill Co., druggists.

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JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1.

Proposing to amend section 10 of article 8 of the constitution of Wisconsin, relating to good roads.

Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring: That section 10 of article 8 of the constitution of Wisconsin, be amended by adding the following words:

The state may, however, appropriate money to be raised by taxation and not in anywise to constitute a public debt, to be used in the construction or improvement of public highways, such construction or improvement to be made in the manner provided by law.

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JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 2.

Proposing an amendment to article XIII of the constitution of the state of Wisconsin to provide for a free pass system.

Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring: That article XIII of the constitution be amended by adding a new section, to be numbered and to read as follows: Section 11. No person, association, co-partnership, or corporation shall promise, offer, or give, for any purpose, to any political committee, or any member or employee thereof, to any candidate for or incumbent of any office or position under the constitution or laws, or under any ordinance of any town or municipality, of this state, or to any person at the request of, or for the advantage of, all or any part of the same, a free pass, or any privilege withheld from any person, for traveling accommodation or transportation of any person or property, or the transmission of any message or communication.

No political committee and no member or employee thereof, no candidate for and no incumbent of any office or position under the constitution or laws, or any ordinance of any town or municipality of this state, shall ask for, or receive, from any person, association, co-partnership, or corporation, any use, or any privilege, or any privilege withheld from any person, for traveling accommodation or transportation of any person or property, or the transmission of any message or communication.

Any violation of any of the above provisions shall be bribery and punished as provided by law, and if any officer or any member of the legislature be guilty thereof, his office shall be confiscated.

No person within the purview of this act shall be privileged from testifying in relation to any thing thereby prohibited, and no person having so testified shall be liable to any prosecution or punishment for any offense concerning which he was required to give his testimony or produce any documentary evidence.

The railroad commissioner and his deputy in the discharge of duty are excepted from the provisions of this amendment.

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JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 13.

Proposing to amend article 11 of the constitution of Wisconsin, giving the legislative power to pass a general banking law.

Resolved by the Senate and the Assembly concurring: That article 11 of the constitution of the State of Wisconsin be amended by substituting for sections 4 and 5 thereof a new section to be known as section 4 and reading as follows:

Section 4. The legislature shall have power to enact a general banking law for the creation of banks, and for the regulation and pervision of the banking business, provided that the vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, to be taken by yeas and nays, be in favor of the passage of such law.

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JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 16.

Proposing an amendment to section 1 of article 10 of the constitution of the state of Wisconsin relating to a state bank.

Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring: That section 1 of article 10 of the constitution of the state of Wisconsin be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 1. The superintendence of public instruction shall be vested in a state superintendent and such other officers as the legislature shall direct and their qualifications, powers, duties and compensation shall be prescribed by law. The state superintendent shall be chosen by the qualified electors of the state at the same time that the members of the legislature are chosen, and shall hold his office for four years from the succeeding first Monday in July. The state superintendent chosen at the general election in November, 1902, shall hold and continue in his office until the first Monday in July, 1903, and his successor shall be chosen at the time of the general election in April, 1903. The term of office, time and manner of electing or appointing all other officers of supervision of public instruction shall be prescribed by law.

Given under my hand and official seal at the capitol in the city of Madison on the 1st day of August, A. D. 1901.

To the County Clerk of Wood County, Wis.

W. H. FREDERICK, Secretary of State.

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STATE OF WISCONSIN, 1888.

Pursuant to the above, notice is hereby given that at a General Election to be held in the several towns, wards, villages and election precincts of Wood County, state of Wisconsin, on the 1st day of November, 1888, the following officers are to be elected to serve:

A Member of Assembly for Wood County, in place of A. E. Germer, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January A. D. 1901.

A County Clerk in place of William H. Reeves, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January A. D. 1

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MORGAN THE MAN.

NAMED FOR CONGRESS TUESDAY

X Full Delegation Present at New London. — Nomination Made Unanimous.

At the convention for the eighth congressional district at New London on Tuesday last Col. N. E. Morgan was nominated for congress on the democratic ticket. That the nomination was a wise choice no one doubts for a moment, and many republicans even admit that there is a good chance for his election.

The convention was called to order at 11 o'clock a.m. L. Albert Karel of Keweenaw was elected temporary chairman and Fred Leahy of Stevens Point secretary. After the appointment of credential and permanent organization committees the convention adjourned until after dinner.

The delegates assembled promptly at 1 o'clock and after reports of committees proceeded at once to work. The nomination of Col. Morgan was made by D. Hammel of Appleton, who spoke at some length. He was followed by delegates from Door, Keweenaw and Portage counties, who heartily seconded the nomination of the colonel and the secretary was instructed to cast a unanimous ballot for Col. N. E. Morgan of Appleton.

A committee waited upon Mr. Morgan and requested that he favor those present with a short speech, which he did in a few well chosen words.

A congressional committee was then chosen with C. F. Carr of New London as chairman, J. M. Baer of Appleton, secretary, and D. Hammel of Appleton, treasurer. One member of the committee was chosen from each county. The Wood county member being A. G. Pankow of Marshfield.

Mr. Morgan is colonel of the Second Regiment W. N. and was a major in the volunteer army during the Spanish-American war, he having resigned his position as city clerk in Appleton to fight for his country. Col. Morgan is popular wherever he is known and is nowhere more popular than among the men he commands in the national guard. He has resided in Appleton during the past twenty-nine years and has been a member of the guard for many years, having been appointed colonel when the guard was reorganized.

WHERE TO REPORT.

X Guide to Pupils in Locating Their Departments.

The public schools of this city will open Monday morning, Sept. 3, at 9 o'clock a.m., and it is urged that pupils be in attendance from the start, bringing their promotion cards. Pupils not having promotion cards, must get certificate of entrance from the superintendent. Pupils residing outside the district will be admitted by the superintendent upon payment of tuition in advance.

EAST SIDE GRADING.

High school pupils will report, as usual, at the main building. Eighth grade pupils will also report at the main building in the grammar room. Those of the 7th grade living south of Saratoga street (Saratoga street runs east and west just north of Howe High school) report at the main building, and those living north of Saratoga street at the ward building. Fifth and sixth grades report at the ward building. All 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th grade pupils south of Saratoga street will report at the main building. Second and 3rd grade pupils near the old Congregational church will report at that place, a room having been fitted up in the church for school purposes. The balance of the 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th grades report at the ward school. The kindergarten will be located in the main building, and open on the east side in the afternoon only, beginning at 1:15 o'clock.

WEST SIDE GRADING.

High school pupils will report at the main building as usual, except the Senior class, which will be raised to the Senior class on the east side. All the eighth grade will report in the main building, and all the sixth grade in the ward building. The balance of the grades will be divided. Those pupils living north of Cranberry street will report at the ward school and those south of Cranberry street will report at the main building. The 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th grades on the south side will attend the south side school as usual. The kindergarten department will be located in the basement of the new Moravian church, and will be open in the forenoon for west side pupils. Kindergarten age is from 4 to 6. A large attendance is hoped for.

The superintendent will be in his office all day Saturday, and will be ready to assist all new pupils in locating their grades. Office hours for other days will be from 8 to 9 in the morning, and from 4 to 5 in the afternoon. **Geo. P. HAMBRECHT.**
City Sept.

New Priest at Junction City.

Rev. Jacob Gara has been assigned the pastorate at Junction City in place of Rev. J. Miller who has been there for some time past. Father Gara will also have in his charge the church at Sigel, where he will preach every alternate Sunday. Father Gara preached his first sermon at Junction City last Sunday and will conduct services at Sigel tomorrow.

Unclaimed Letters.

The following list of letters remain unclaimed for at the West Side office: Gentlemen: Anderson, John; Cronfield, Martin; Meinberg, Herman. Ladies: Krites, Emma; Treed, Mrs. Matilda.

Railroad News.

During the past week there has been but very little development in the matter of the new railroad except that the work of surveying has gone steadily on and is now nearly completed as far as this city.

On Tuesday afternoon there was a meeting of the Business Men's association for the purpose of meeting with the parties in charge of the survey and other preliminaries connected with the new road. The representatives of the road, who were present were Messrs. Whitman, Biunt, Yale and Peenill. These gentlemen wanted to know among other things if the Business Men's association was prepared to see that the road was granted a right of way and depot grounds in this city. The association, however, could not promise them anything owing to the fact that nothing had been said to them heretofore in an official manner. They assured the railroad men that they stood in readiness to co-operate with them in any way that it was possible for them to do so, as are all our citizens.

When the meeting was held on Tuesday the railroad men assured those present that the survey would be completed within a week from that day. When the work of laying out depot grounds, etc., would commence in this city, which would occupy the surveyors' time for another week. The railroad men intimated that the depot would be located east of the Southeastern depot and not west of the St. Paul as heretofore stated by Col. N. E. Morgan of Appleton.

During the past few days the surveyors of the road have been engaged in making a plat of the city that lies between the Marshfield & Southeastern road and the river. They do not say in what way this will be useful to them.

The projectors of the new road maintain that they have made no offer whatever to the owners of the M. & S. E. road, all reports to the contrary notwithstanding and that they do not contemplate buying the road.

Conductor Bishop.

The Reverend Reginald H. Weller of Stevens Point was chosen as coadjutor bishop of the Fond du Lac diocese on Thursday at the convention held in Fond du Lac. Following is a short sketch of the life of Father Weller:

Reginald Heber Weller, son of the Rev. Reginald Heber Weller and Mrs. Emma Amanda Weller, was born in Jefferson City, Mo., Nov. 6, 1857. He was educated at St. John's academy, Jacksonville, Fla., and the University of the South, Sewanee, Tenn. He studied theology privately under his father and was ordained a deacon in Jacksonville, Fla., May 9, 1880, by Bishop Young of Florida. He served as deaconate in Okaloa, Fla., and as assistant at All Saints' church, Providence, R. I. He entered Nashotah Sept. 29, 1883—being graduated June 29, 1884, and was ordained priest in Milwaukee cathedral Sept. 12, 1884, by the late Bishop Welles. He was rector at Eau Claire, 1884 to 1888; at Waukesha, 1888 to February, 1890; and at Stevens Point since February, 1890. He was a deacon from the diocese of Fond du Lac to the general conventions of 1892, 1895 and 1898. He is archdeacon of Stevens Point and trustee of Nashotah seminary and Grafton Hall, Fond du Lac. In every capacity he has shown good executive ability and wherever he has been stationed he has always won and held the esteem and affection of his parishioners.

Mr. Weller was married at Eau Claire, May 19, 1886, to Miss Bessie Brown, daughter of the late Dr. Tair Brown of Grant county.

Bicycle Thief Punished.

Albert Fritzloff of the town of Sigel was arrested on Tuesday for having stolen a bicycle, and upon being brought before Justice Crotteau he pleaded guilty and was sentenced to three months in the county jail. The wheel belonged to James Craney of Port Edwards and had been left standing outside a saloon by the owner, where it was picked up by young Fritzloff.

The wheel was stolen on the fourth of August and was taken by Fritzloff out in the country, and it seems that some of his friends suspected that he had not come by the wheel honestly and advised him to return it to the rightful owner. This, in connection with the fact that Officer Gibson had got wind of the fact that the boy had a wheel that answered the description of the missing bike and had practically traced it to Fritzloff, imbued the young man with the idea that the best thing he could do would be to get rid of the stolen property as gracefully as possible.

On Friday of last week he brought the wheel to this office and had a notice published stating that he had found a wheel and requesting the owner to call here for the property, stating that he had found the wheel alongside the road in the town of Sigel. Officer Gibson immediately identified the bicycle as the one lost by Craney and when Fritzloff was arrested he confessed to the crime.

Nelson-Rabin.

Wm. H. Nelson of Merrill and Miss Clara Rabin of this city were married at the home of the bride's parents on Wednesday at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, the Rev. Mr. Kilbourne of Kaukauna performing the ceremony. L. Heilmann of Merrill acted as groomsman and Miss Jeanie Hasbrouck of this city was bridesmaid.

The happy couple took their departure the same evening for Merrill where they will make their home. Mr. Nelson being an architect in that city. They have a large number of friends here to wish them happiness in their new life.

BEAT THEIR WIVES.

SEVERAL OFFENDERS IN JAIL.

Seems to be a Popular Amusement Among a Certain Class of Our Citizens.

Another chapter has been enacted in the history of Wm. Annas and his family who reside in the town of Rudolph across the river from Birch. Mrs. Annas will be remembered as the woman who ran away from home last winter on account of the cruelty of her husband and remaining in the woods for three days frost her feet so badly that one of them had to be amputated. Owing to the fact that the woman has been compelled by her husband to be on her feet most of the time since the amputation occurred, the wound has been unable to heal and she is in consequence in a pitiable condition.

On Friday Annas was arrested for having beaten his wife, she exhibiting as evidence a pair of very black eyes and other marks of cruelty. The man gave bonds for \$100 and will appear for a hearing next Monday.

It seems that Mrs. Annas had gone to the woods again to escape her husband's cruelty and that Annas came to this city and told of his wife's absence and wanted the sheriff to assist him in finding her. She returned of her own accord, however, and when it was seen what condition she was in the man was arrested. He denied having struck his wife and claimed the darkness about her eyes was the result of exposure. He also said that her leaving home was merely waywardness on her part and not through any fault of his.

From all evidence Annas is about as near a brute in human form as is generally found running about loose, and his wife and children have been seen to afraid of him that they did not dare to tell of his cruelty. August Belger of Nekoosa was arrested on Tuesday on a charge of doing great bodily harm. Belger, it seems, had been in the habit of beating his wife whenever time hung heavily on his hands and there was nothing else to amuse him and it was through her complaint that he was arrested. He was bound over to appear at circuit court.

John Neatzwizki of the town of Seneca was sentenced to ten days in jail by Justice Brazeau of Port Edwards on Monday for beating his wife.

Poisoned with Fly Paper.

Charles Wasser, Jr., returned from Tomahawk last week on account of sickness, the result of being poisoned. Mr. Wasser had been employed in one of the sawmills at Tomahawk and one day the cook in the boarding house where he was staying dropped by accident a piece of fly paper into some potatoes that were boiling on the stove where the result that several of the boarders came near passing in their checks. Mr. Wasser among the number. With the assistance of physicians they all managed to come out of the unusual experience alive. Mr. Wasser is rapidly improving.

Change in Firm.

The firm heretofore known as Spafford, Cole & Lipke will hereafter be known as Spafford, Cole & Co. Not only has the name changed but a new member has been taken into the firm. The new member is H. C. McCana, who has been in the employ of the company during the past eight years. Mr. Lipke remains in the firm but the extra names are dropped in order to shorten the company name.

Promoted to State Agent.

Matt Schlegel of this city has been appointed state agent for the Milwaukee Harvester company and he left on Monday for Madison to receive instructions and assume his new duties. He does not know just where he will make his headquarters. Mr. Schlegel takes the place of E. Leidi who has been transferred to Iowa.

Prizes at the Fair.

G. Bruderer got first prize at the Stevens Point fair on Silver Laced Wyandottes, White Leghorns, Buff Coccins and Belgian hares.

Dr. V. P. Norton got first prizes on Black Langshans, young and old Plymouth Rocks and Buff Leghorns.

Leave for Canada.

John A. Flannigan, Canadian land agent, will leave in a few days for western Canada with a colony of seventeen families from Rudolph. He was at Rudolph on Wednesday last, closing up the matter.

Attraction at Opera House.

One of the principal attractions to be offered at the theatre goes this season is a new farce comedy by Edward Owings Towne the well known author of "Other Peoples Money." The comedy bears the pleasing and suggestive title of "To Rich To Mary" and is said to be even better than its name would promise. Edward Owings Towne has been for years recognized as one of the leading dramatists and anything from his pen is sure to meet a warm reception at the hands of the great multitude of his admirers. The new comedy is said to be full of sparkling humor, surprising turns and funny situations. One thing is sure, a new play by the author of "Other Peoples Money" is always entitled to be greeted with a crowded house. Grand Opera House, Saturday evening Sept. 8th.

Mysterious Death.

A three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Leoff of South Centralia died on Tuesday from some unknown cause, the symptoms being much the same as cholera infantum. However as the little one had been sick only since the night before it was hardly thought possible that this could be the cause, and as the child had eaten some candy the night before, as well as two of the other children, it was thought possible that there may have been some poison in the candy. The other two were similarly affected but not so severely and are now practically well.

Mr. and Mrs. Leoff were in town on Monday and before starting for home bought some candy for the children. When they arrived only three of the children were at home and these were given some of the candy. They were all taken sick but the little girl gradually grew worse and in spite of the efforts of physicians nothing could be done to save her life. The symptoms were like those of arsenic poisoning and while it is known that arsenic is used to a limited extent to color candy, still it is inconceivable how a sufficient quantity could have got into one stick to have caused death.

The little one was buried on Thursday afternoon and the family has the sympathy of the community in their sad affliction.

LATER.—We learn as we go to press that another child, a four-months-old boy, of the same family died last night, the symptoms being those of cholera infantum.

Grand Rapids Picnic.

Private advices received from Dawson, N. D., tell of a picnic held there on the 18th of August which projected and attended entirely by Grand Rapids people. Among those present were the following: Mr. and Mrs. Anson Bugsby, Bert Brown and mother, Mrs. Charles Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Will Ketchum, Mr. and Mrs. Nic Emil, Frank and Fred Ebrel and Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Gokey. The picnic was held at Lake Isabella which is situated three miles south of Dawson.

Baseball at Cashton.

The baseball boys left last night for Cashton where they will play two games. Those who make up the club are Alex Bandelin, Del Gotsch, Chas. Haivorson, Will Delap, Charles Lipke, Paul Love, Elmer Glass, Graves and Brennan.

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GRAND RAPIDS TRIBUNE.

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GIRLS ARE ROBBED OF THEIR WAGES.

Ridiculous System of Fines in Shops Where Shirtwaists Are Made.

New York, Aug. 28.—Shirtwaist girls—those who make the waists—are on a strike here. In an appeal to Central Labor union for aid the strikers declared that an arbitrary system of fines prevails in the trade to such an extent that wages are cut unbearable.

Rose Bogin was the spokesman. "I have heard of shops," she said, "where, if a girl laughs, she is fined 15 cents, and smiling costs 10 cents; consulting a looking-glass, 15 cents, and talking, 25 cents."

If a girl takes half a day off, besides losing her pay for that time, she is fined 25 cents, and the result is that at the end of the week the girl who has earned \$40 a week is short \$25.

The average price paid for making a shirtwaist is 10 cents. Six can be made in a day. Work lasts about five months a year.

SOLDIER GOES INSANE.

Eau Claire Veteran Wandering About Chicago Streets Looking for His Family.

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 28.—William H. White, an old soldier of Eau Claire, Wis., went insane in the Central police station last night over the disappearance of his family. At the station he told Chief of Detectives Colleran that he became separated from his wife at the depot. He had wandered over the city looking for them without success.

In the night, from continued worry, he began to show signs of insanity. The Wisconsin delegation was visited and a cousin of the afflicted man was found who took him in charge. Meantime, an order was issued to all policemen to look out for the missing ones.

Charles Beckwith, marching with Sheridan post, N. 4, of the Department of Michigan, dropped dead in the parade from heart disease at Michigan avenue and Madison street.

E. W. Evans, 69 years old, a member of F. A. Jones post at Lincoln, Mo., was struck by a Lincoln avenue cable train today and seriously injured.

O. J. Martin of Shylock, Mich., a member of Williams post No. 40, was overcome by heat at Michigan avenue and Randolph street and removed to a hospital. His condition was reported serious.

TWINS DIE TOGETHER.

Remarkable Case of Subconscious Sympathy Shown in Death of Two Children.

Bowling Green, O., Aug. 28.—Clarence and Clyde Wilson, twin children of Archie Wilson of Duluth, this county, died at the same time under the same circumstances, ending two lives that were identical in every respect. These children were so similar in appearance that no one says their mother could tell one from the other. Besides their physical similarity their mental actions were always simultaneous, seemingly each having the same thoughts. The parents declared that they had a like-one-child, except that they lost two bodies. Clarence fell on the floor about two weeks ago and buried her son.

On Aug. 28, when she was taken sick with an affliction of the brain, Clyde became afflicted exactly the same way, and followed Clarence in death by but a few hours. Both will be buried in the cemetery at Rudolph.

ESTATE OF \$1,000,000.

Will of the Late Archbishop Hennessy Admitted to Probate.

St. Paul, Minn., Aug. 28.—The will of the late Archbishop Hennessy of Dubuque, Ia., has been admitted to probate here. It gives a half dozen of the prelate's relatives \$400,000 worth of real estate in Ramsey, Washington, Hennepin and Freeborn counties. Other relatives and various church societies receive \$600,000 worth of real and personal property in Iowa. The will named as executors Archbishop P. J. Ryan of Philadelphia, Archbishop P. A. Tolton of Chicago, Mgr. Roger Ryan, Rev. Clement Johnniss and Michael V. Hennessy of Dubuque. The executors, Ryan and Tolton and Michael V. Hennessy declined to act as executors and the big estate will be administered by Mgr. Ryan and Father Johnniss.

BENNETT'S NEW YACHT.

Has a Straight Stem and will Steam 18 Knots an Hour.

London, Aug. 28.—The steam yacht *Lysistrata*, built for James Gordon Bennett, proprietor of the New York *Herald*, by W. Denny & Bros. on designs furnished by George L. Watson, was launched this morning at Dumbarton, Scotland. She is the long yacht built on the Clyde, is designed to steam eighteen knots an hour, and has the novel feature of a straight stem.

The *Lysistrata* is built of steel, has twin screws and is schooner-rigged. She is over 248 feet over all, has 29 feet 3 inches beam, and her depth is 21 feet 3 inches.

CAMILLE D'ARVILLE A BRIDE.

Opera Singer Weds E. W. Crelin, a Social Lion at Oakland, Cal.

Oakland, Cal., Aug. 28.—Camille d'Arville, the opera singer, and E. W. Crelin, one of the best known of Oakland's social set, were married at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Arthur Crelin, 972 Jackson street. Only immediate relatives witnessed the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Crelin left on their wedding tour. They will reside in Oakland. Mrs. Crelin says the wedding means farewell to the stage.

Suicide of Stock Broker.

New York, Aug. 28.—Alfred Bing, a stock broker of this city committed suicide in Long Branch, N. J. No cause is known for the act. Bing was prominent in Genoa, Italy, whence his family came.

Chinese Vegetables.

An Americanized Chinaman living near Bristol, Conn., is making an excellent living by raising vegetables for the use of his countrymen in the nearby cities. His name is Willie Sing, and his farm consists of one and one-half acres. Lettuce of a peculiar brand, beans, squash, citrons and ginger root are some of the products, all being of distinctive Chinese type.

Naturalists have discovered that if the voice of an elephant were as loud in proportion to size as that of a nightingale, his trumpeting could be heard around the world.

HOSTILITIES OF RUSSIA.

Czar Opposing Arrangements for Peaceful Solution.

KAISER IS FOR WAR.

Scenes of Desolation in Pekin Due to Conflicts with Boxers and Attacks Upon Legations.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 29.—The cabinet meeting today was devoted entirely to a discussion of the diplomatic phases of the situation in China. No definite conclusion was reached on any point. No statement as to any of the questions discussed was made public. There will be another cabinet meeting this afternoon.

After being in session over three hours the members separated to meet again at 2:30. After the meeting the members of the cabinet were extremely reticent and noncommittal. It is learned, however, that the subject under consideration related almost exclusively to the policy of the government in the negotiations now in progress.

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RUSSIA GIVES NOTICE.

Allies Having Accomplished Their Work Should Withdraw.

London, Aug. 29.—A special dispatch from St. Petersburg contains the assertion that Russia almost immediately will notify the powers she considers the relief of the Pekin legations as the final accomplishment of the military task of the allied forces. The afternoon paper advised that General Chaffee's prudence in preparing for war was based upon the regard the activity of the allies in Pekin and the difficulty of discovering a responsible Chinaman with whom to treat unless Li Hung Chang is able to place himself in communication with the fugitive court and secure credentials satisfactory to all the powers, indications that the solution of the problem will be more prolonged and more difficult than previously.

Americans Reach Tien Tsin.

Tien Tsin, Aug. 25, via Taku, Aug. 27.—Fifty Americans, including the Misses Condit, Smith, Woodward, and Payne, have arrived here from Pekin, which they left five days ago by boat.

Lient. Waldron of the Ninth United States infantry received a serious sniping wound while patrolling at Ho Si Wu.

The Russians, Germans and Japanese are constantly pushing troops on to Pekin.

The Miss Woodward referred to in the dispatch from Tien Tsin is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Woodward of Evanston, Ill. They were guests of Minister Conger at Pekin. Mrs. and Miss Woodward left Evanston in January to make a tour of Japan and China. They were accompanied by Mrs. Conger, wife of the minister.

Miss Mary Condit Smith has also been a guest of Minister Conger at Pekin. One of Miss Smith's sisters is the wife of Gen. Leonard S. Wood, the governor of Cuba.

Miss Payne is a Milwaukeean. Her mother lives on Farwell avenue.

PEKIN DESOLATED.

Appalling Destruction of Property in China's Capital.

London, Aug. 29.—On account of the conditions prevailing in Pekin, dated August 15, and mailed thence to Shanghai, whence it was cabled yesterday, says that the capital now presents an aspect of absolute desolation. The destruction has been simply appalling.

What used to be Legation street is now unrecognizable. All the houses of foreigners have been either burned, riddled with shells, or blown up. The French legation, which used to have one of the finest compounds in the city, now only shows a few portions of its walls standing. Hundreds of acres covered by natives' houses have been burned over.

There has been the most wanton destruction of property. Buildings which were not burned were pulled down for the mere pleasure of destroying something.

The top of the city hall is a marvelous sight. There are brick and sandbag barricades every twenty yards, while the underground shelters are littered with discarded uniforms, hundreds of cartridge boxes, pouches, and even rifles and spears, left behind by the Chinese when they fled.

Attempt on American Legation.

At one place close to the American legation a determined attempt had been made to undermine it. A shaft was sunk from the top of a wall fifteen feet deep, and then continued as a tunnel, with a sharp slope for some distance in the direction of the legation. Whether the Chinese did all of their work or only abandoned it because of the approach of the allies, it is not known, but the existence of the shaft was only discovered after the legation had arrived.

The day the allies arrived they burned several of the city gates. Fires are blazing everywhere. Several buildings within the imperial city were set on fire by the shells of the allies. The French, Americans and Japanese artillery intermittently shelled the imperial city on August 15.

OPPOSED BY RUSSIA.

Unwilling to Enter Into Negotiations with Li Hung Chang.

Berlin, Aug. 29.—It is learned from an excellent source that the generals and admirals of the allied forces have declared their unwillingness to enter into negotiations with Li Hung Chang.

It is also stated that Russia offered as much opposition to this declaration as it dared.

Would Raze the Winter Palace.

Pekin, Aug. 23 via Taku, Aug. 27.—Three Russians, two Japanese, one British and one American battalion searched the imperial city south of the city and about five miles out, for Boxers. No armed force was found, but only a single Chinese scound, who was killed.

The Japanese are in possession of the imperial summer palace. The winter palace is still closely guarded. The Russians wish to destroy it.

BERLIN, Aug. 29.—

According to a dispatch received here from Tien Tsin, Japanese forces are understood to be now en route from Taku to Pao Tung (Fu) (of the province of Chih Li) with the direct object of occupying the latter place.

The German vice-admiral at Taku reports the arrival at Pao Tung August 22 of a German convoy with provisions.

The railroad from Tien Tsin to Yantung is working, but from the latter place to Pekin the road is in bad shape.

WU MUCH DISTURBED.

Attempts to Restrain Earl Li will Have a Bad Effect.

Washington, Aug. 29.—Baron Speer von Sternberg, the field marshal, saw Acting Secretary Adye this morning and it is understood his purpose was to tell over the question of Li Hung Chang's credentials. One effect of Germany's refusal to accept Li as plenipotentiary will

be to delay peace-negotiations at least until Field Marshal Waldersee's arrival in China, several weeks hence. Beyond, a short message relative to the situation at Taku, which is still regarded as threatening, the state department had nothing to make public this morning.

The diplomatic situation, other than the military situation is still regarded as of supreme importance. Again Mr. Wu, the Chinese minister, was an early caller at the state department. He was much disturbed in mind over the reiterated report that the foreign admirals are endeavoring to restrain Earl Li's liberty of communication with his own government. The minister was indignant at the report and was much comforted by the assurance he had from Acting Secretary Adye that the report probably was an exaggeration of the condition that existed at Taku, and for the beginning of the march on Pekin. The minister was very ready to interfere with Li Hung Chang, either in his movements or in his communications with the imperial government would prove most disastrous in its effect upon the earnest efforts now being made to terminate the present hostilities in China.

It is stated at the war department that preparations are being made for wintering 50,000 United States troops in China. The arrangements are made in order to guard against a failure of peace negotiations.

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'Twixt Life and Death

BY
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CHAPTER II.—(Continued.)

"You did seem rather worried, dear."

"Oh, I was. To begin with, I didn't like the part I had to play, as you know."

As Mrs. Vic had written it out it was simply ridiculous. Now when the dresser told me how she had seen it played, I saw what a capital part it might be made; and when I thought of this letter, I resolved to play it. So I went to the station for a copy of *Goldsmith*, and studied it with the dresser, who promised to make me up exactly like the actor she had seen. If I am expelled from one school, it's pretty certain that another won't take me when they hear what they are exposing themselves to."

"But isn't it rather dreadful to be expelled, Nessa?"

"I shall not be expelled, I shall resign."

"I have not studied the political history of the British constitution for nothing," she added, with a dash of humor in her eyes.

"When are you going to resign, dear?"

The very first thing to-morrow morning. I made Tinkleton promise she would say nothing about the performance to Mrs. Vic to-night in order that I myself might tell her in the morning. You may be sure she was glad to get out of it. There's another reason why I prefer to resign. If I were expelled, Mrs. Vic would get nothing out of Mr. Redmond; but if I resign, he must send her the payment for a term, and that will help to compensate the poor old soul for the injury I have done the school."

"And where shall you go when you leave here?"

"To Grahame Towers, of course."

"But aren't you afraid, Nessa?"

"Afraid of what—that coward?" Not I.

If I were a man I'd be a soldier like my father. There's nothing I should like better than a good fight with that villain, Redmond."

"But are you sure he's a coward, dear?" asked one of the girls naively.

"I am certain that he is. I am anxious for to-morrow to come; but, oh!" she added, with a sudden drop in her voice as the tears sprang into her eyes, "I shall never have the heart to say good-bye to you, dear."

There were hugging and kissing all around, and then Nessa, bursting away, said, "Come, let us get it over now. There, take these, Dolly; and now, little witch, you're next. Choose what you would like."

But the "little witch" sitting on the bed with her face buried in her hands, shook her head and whimpered. She was a strangely small girl for her age, with long thin fingers, a dark complexion and black hair, long and sleek as an Indian's. Her ways were odd and exclusive. Sometimes the girls found her seated in the dark, huddled up with her chin resting on her knees, and her weird, vacant eyes half closed, as if her spirit was wandering in some other world. She could interpret dreams, and make sense out of the greatest rubbish. She was an authority on all that concerned signs and tokens and palmistry, and had worn a smuggled pack of cards limp in telling the girls' fortunes. Her title was not unmerited.

The girls gathered about her prepared for some new sensation in the romance of this night. Nessa alone seemed to be unawed.

"What's the matter, you little goose? Is there anything dreadful in giving presents?"

"Don't, don't!" pleaded the little witch without removing her hands. "It's like Naomi, my sister. When she was going to die she made us take things."

"But I am not going to die. Look at me—do I look like it?"

"You don't know all," said the girl, shivering, and whispering so low that her words were scarcely audible. "Not all that I know. I would not tell you while it might do you harm to know, but I must now that it may save you. Oh, you must not go!" She raised herself suddenly and threw her arms about Nessa's neck; "you so beautiful and kind," she added, nestling herself in Nessa's ready embrace.

"Why, dear, why?" whispered Nessa, coaxingly.

"You are in danger. Your life is not safe. There is going to be a great change, and there is peril in your path. I have seen it whenever I have looked—in the cards, in your hand. Your line of life is broken in the nineteenth year."

Nessa was the only one of all the little group who was not terrified into silence by the little witch's prophecy.

"Oh, come, this is too bad, after promising me last week that I should have riches and long life," she murmured, playfully, as she smoothed her cheeks upon the girl's sleek hair. "Two things can't be true, you know; and of the two I would prefer to believe your first promise."

"They are both true," said the girl, with feverish eagerness; "you will be happy if you live; but there are three years of terrible danger before you. It was that I dared not tell you. Oh, do stay with us till the peril is past."

Nessa herself stood now in silence, subdued with grave perplexity by the earnestness of her little friend. But suddenly a ray of intelligence gleamed in her face, and clasping the girl's clinging arms from her neck, she put her away, holding her at arm's length.

"You little trickster!" she exclaimed, with mock disdain; "I have found you out. I see through your conjuring. You have been thinking about that clause in the codicil that puts Mr. Redmond in possession of my fortune if I die before twenty-one, and it struck you that he might murder me for my money if he got me under his hand in Grahame Towers. I forgive you, dear," she added, taking the child back to her bosom, and kissing her, "for your sweet love of me; but, oh, you are awfully mistaken if you think that fear would keep me from getting into difficulties."

CHAPTER III.

It was about five o'clock when Nessa reached her destination.

"Is it far to Grahame Towers?" she asked the porter.

"A matter of four or five miles before you get to the park, and then there's the best part of a mile to the house. Take a taxi, Miss."

"Yes; fetch my luggage, please. There are two tiny boxes with my name on them—Grahame."

She changed her last half-sovereign at the refreshment bar, where she had a cup of tea, gave the porter a shilling, and looking in the portemnae at her slender resources as the fly started on its journey, she said to herself, "It I find no one there whatever shall I do?"

She had taken irrevocable steps; but her courage had been sorely tried by the love of those she was leaving behind forever. Even Mrs. Vic, at the last moment, had broken down, and, forgiving her, with tears in her eyes, begged her to stay on. As for Tinkleton and the girls, the way they took on at parting was quite dreadful to remember.

In addition to these memories, reaction after the excitement of last night made the girl's heart very heavy indeed. Her spirits revived when the driver, turning round, pointed with his whip to a massive building rising boldly out of the dark green oaks on a distant hill, and told her it was Grahame Towers. It was something to feel that a place of such imposing grandeur was hers. The pride of her heart was stirred again when she caught sight of the magnificent avenue guarded by rampant panthers flanking the great gates at the entrance. It was noble—and, thank goodness, the gates were open.

Half way up the great drive they met a wagon loaded with the trunk of an enormous oak.

"Cutting my timber!" exclaimed Nessa, with indignation.

A little further on the driver pulled up. A gentleman in shooting costume stood with a gun under his arm, directly in the way.

It was clear to see by his commanding presence that he was master there. As the fly stopped he came to the side, and, seeing a lady, raised his hat.

It was three years since they met, and for the moment he failed to recognize Nessa. Three make a great difference in the appearance of a girl at that time of life; they make little or none in a man of middle age.

Nessa knew him at once, though his black whiskers, which were formerly trimmed to a point, were now shaved to the fashionable military cut—she knew him by those long, sleepy eyes, and that odious smile. She bowed with severe formality. In that moment he perceived that the haughty young lady before him was the disagreeable child he had seen last in a short dress.

"Nessa!" he exclaimed, the amazement going suddenly from his face, "why on earth have you come here?"

"Because it is my home, and I intend to stay here for the present."

"You will do nothing of the kind. I told you that it was my wish you should stay in the school where I placed you."

"As you see, I have not stayed there."

"Then you will be good enough to return at once."

"Quite out of the question; I have rendered that impossible."

"How?"

"This is hardly a suitable place for discussing our affairs, Mr. Redmond."

"Discussing our affairs, indeed! The discussion begins and ends here. Turn around," he added, addressing the driver, imperatively.

The driver turned about with a grim on his broad face, and said:

"Where am I to take you now, miss?"

"To the nearest magistrate."

"Why, that's Sir Thomas Bullen at the Chase."

"Then drive to the Chase."

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"I know what you would say," said Mrs. Redmond; "that if my husband should happen to be in difficulties, and we found ourselves without a penny in the world at the end of three years, you would give us a home and—food—"

She stopped, choked with disappointment, indignation, envy and malice; but in the next moment masked her feelings under a judas' kiss, as she murmured: "Oh, you dear, dear, generous, kind-hearted friend."

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THE PASSING OF MINOR.

There seems to be a general feeling among republicans that Congressman Minor is about to see the setting of his political sun; that he hasn't got the pull he once had throughout the district, and that they don't much care if it is so. Why this is we do not pretend to know, but maybe the republicans do. Maybe some of them have been disappointed, a broken promise, or something of that sort. One thing is certain, and that is that there isn't any enthusiasm displayed in the matter, and we venture to predict that when all the little voting precincts have been heard from in this locality that it will be found that Minor is a decidedly dead dog in Wood county.

The wonder of many who are intimately acquainted with Minor is that he has managed to hang on so long.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

If Mr. McKinley has no understanding with the powers operating in China, his actions are difficult to explain. Although advised by some of the longest headed men in his party, including the United States minister to China, to take advantage of the opportunity to withdraw our troops from China, now that the American citizens who were in peril are safe, and leave those nations which are hungry for Chinese territory to settle the squabbles among themselves, he has declined to do so. Several days ago, when it was announced that all the troops now on the way to China would be sent to Manila, it was thought that he intended to follow that advice, but within forty-eight hours it has been officially announced that the troops in China would be kept there, and since then the significant announcement was made that the troops which would go to Manila would not go to take the place of volunteers to be sent home, but to reinforce them, and that no troops are to be sent home until further notice. If that doesn't indicate an intention on the part of Mr. McKinley to play a further hand in the Chinese game, what does it indicate?

Now that it has been authentically announced that ex-Senator Gorman, now at Saratoga, will return to Maryland about the middle of September and take an active part in the campaign until election day, those republicans who have been actively circulating stories of his lukewarmness towards Bryan and Stevenson must feel that they are very clumsy birds. It has never been doubted in Washington that Mr. Gorman would do his full duty towards the party that has honored him in the past and that is likely to honor him in the future.

Evidence continues to multiply showing that Illinois will be found in the democratic column this year. After expressing his opinion to that effect, W. H. Broad of Chicago said: "There are a number of reasons for believing this, but I am convinced that opposition to imperialism will have a greater influence in the making of the republicans than any of the other issues. There is a big German vote in Illinois, especially in Chicago, and the Germans, almost to a man, are opposed to the imperialistic policy of the present administration. There is also a very bitter factional fight among Illinois republicans, and although it doesn't come much to the surface, the feeling is so strong that it will be impossible for them to make a progressive and reforming campaign in the state. Opposition to the trusts will also lose the republicans a good many votes, and with the labor troubles in Chicago and all the suffering that has resulted from them, the republican orators will find it difficult to convince the workingmen that the country is blessed with an overabundance of prosperity."

That the democratic leaders are thoroughly posted on what the republicans are doing and are meeting every republican move is made apparent by the following remarks of one of them: "Against the prosperity statistics which are being manufactured by the census bureau, we will place some hard facts which indicate that many classes of men who have to depend on their labor for a living are not prosperous. Take for instance the anthracite coal miners. The coal trust has cut down the number of work days so that miners are expected to live on three days work a week. This means that they can barely exist. In New England some of the cotton mills are shut down and others are running on half time. The silk mills of New Jersey are running on short time, and one of the big silk manufacturing companies has, within the last week, gone into bankruptcy. We are looking for the 'scare' which the republicans have intimated they will give the country, but attention may

be called to the money question. It may come at any time, and the small volume of trading in Wall street indicates a fear there that a money squeeze may be impending. When the west begins the moving of its crops and calls upon the east for money to do it with, and if coincidentally a Russian or any other European loan should be placed, making drafts upon our gold supply, a very little artificial encouragement would produce the 'scare' which I think the republicans contemplate."

Representative Van Diver of Missouri has been investigating a cost of government by commission, under the McKinley administration. Owing to mixed systems of bookkeeping he has only partially succeeded, but he shows that more than two and a half millions of dollars have been directly appropriated for commissions, not including the Postal commission, the California Debris commission, or the Mississippi River commission. That the expenses of these various commissions have been much larger than the direct appropriations is certain, but the treasury gives no details. They are included in items which appear on the books as for "national defense," "miscellaneous" and "emergency," and which aggregate a total expenditure for the last fiscal year alone of within a fraction of twenty-two million dollars.

More About Grand Rapids.
The following from the Evening Wisconsin by their staff reporter, who accompanied the merchants and manufacturers on their excursion through here, will give some idea of how they sized up this neck of the woods:

THE NEKOOSA MILLS.
The citizens of Grand Rapids, which has recently consolidated with Centralia to the extent of swallowing up the latter city, took the train down to Nekoosa, seven miles from the city, where is located the Nekoosa Paper company's immense establishment. This mill turns out fifty tons of print and manilla paper a day, and is just now enlarging its capacity, so great are the demands made upon it. A handsome brick storehouse has been erected at the north end and the entire establishment covers several acres of ground. The cost of the material used in this mill in one year is placed at \$551,000. Grand Rapids has a population of 6,000 and the magnificent rapids, which engineers estimate as capable of developing 10,000 horsepower, are the city's pride. The Wisconsin river is extremely picturesque at this point and in many instances suggests the scenic landscape of Eau Claire City. Grand Rapids is a manufacturing place. Its pulp mills are conspicuously busy. The John Edwards Manufacturing company turns out forty tons of print paper a day, the Centralia Pulp & Water Power company twenty-five and the Pioneer Wood Pulp company thirty tons. These plants average a monthly pay roll of \$25,000. Then there is the Oberbeck Bros. Manufacturing company, employing 100 hands in the making of furniture, with a monthly pay roll of \$2,800. The hub factory of the E. Mackinaw Manufacturing company employs seventy hands, with a monthly pay roll of \$2,000. It purchases timber annually to the amount of \$20,000. Then there are the Grand Rapids Lumber company, the Grand Rapids Foundry company, the Grand Rapids Pressed Brick company, the Grand Rapids Table company, the Jackson Milling company, the Centralia Lumber company, and many others. There is the hub of industry in this thriving town through which the great Wisconsin river meanders so lavishly.

AT GRAND RAPIDS.
The following gentlemen met the train at Grand Rapids and accompanied the visitors on a drive through the principal portions of the town: Mayor B. R. Goggins, John Farnish, E. P. Arpin, Nels Johnson, Gus Otto and L. M. Nash. B. F. McMillan of Marshfield accompanied the party to Grand Rapids and told many interesting anecdotes of pioneer days in this region. He pointed out the Wisconsin river's course as he knew it in 1860, when rafting provided the most approved means of transportation. Mr. McMillan is a good roads man and he has evidently imbued Grand Rapids and Marshfield citizens with the necessity of this vital improvement for both cities present many examples of good roads. "Why, I would feel ashamed of myself to erect a fine dwelling and sod a lawn and then forget to look out onto the street in front of my property," he said. "And if my next door neighbor refused to fall into line I would have just the same. All that we need in these parts is four inches of macadam and our roads can not be excelled."

Training a Waitress.

"In selecting a waitress choose one who is tall, slender and light and easy in her motions, rather than a large or a very small woman," writes Mrs. S. T. Rorer, in the September Ladies' Home Journal. "Lass upon her wearing a washable dress, protected by a large white apron with long broad strings. Show her how to care for her hands, providing her with the necessities. Arrange to have her arrive in the afternoon so that during the evening you may begin instructions. Then give her a general idea of the way in which you desire to have your meals served. Show her where the china, silver, linen, etc., are kept, and instruct her in the methods of caring for them all. Arrange the table for breakfast and tell her exactly at what hour you want breakfast served and in what order. Follow the same routine each day, and serve the family in the same manner as guests, otherwise you may be mortified when guests are present. Start right, and give time after each lesson to have it repeated, then trust the waitress, correcting any little error after the meal, never at the table; neither should you give her orders at the table; instruct her before you are seated and correct her mistakes after the meal is over and when you are with her alone."

Burglary at Port Edwards.

Sneak thieves entered the sleeping room of the boarding house at Port Edwards on Tuesday and stole a gold watch, pair of pants and a razor. The guilty parties are supposed to be tramps as a number were seen about town before the theft occurred.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

For the fair to be held at Wausau, Sept. 4, 5, 6 and 7, sell excursion tickets at \$1.70 for round trip. Return limit, Sept. 8.

Willie Semour is able to be about again and play with his companions. Although partially paralyzed on his right side he is gradually recovering the use of his different members.

Mrs. Steve Pervenski died last evening at her home on the west side. She was thirty-five years old and leaves a husband and two children. The funeral will be held Monday from the Catholic church.

Little Pearl, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Verboncoeur of Port Edwards, died on Tuesday last of typhoid fever. Mr. Verboncoeur who has been seriously sick with the same disease is reported recovering.

Walter Conhardt had his right shoulder blade broken and was otherwise bruised in a runaway last night. He was returning to his home in the town of Sigel and had his little brother with him and while trying to save the little fellow he was himself hurt.

Charles Briere, Frank Pomainville and Harry Little have been camping down the river near Sailor's rock during the past week. Charley Briere landed a 9-pound pike during their stay, which, so far as we can learn, is about the largest fish of this species that has been caught in this neighborhood.

G. Bruderli sent three trios of fancy chickens and a pair of Belgian hares to the Stevens Point fair. The chickens were Silver Laced Wyandottes, Buff Cochins and Leghorns. Dr. V. Norton also took over a trio each of Langshans, Buff Cochins and White Plymouth Rocks.

The department of agriculture has issued a bulletin on the mosquito. It says there are 250 different species of this well known insect, but that only thirty-nine of them are found in the United States. Verily, we have much to be thankful for. We had supposed that the entire mosquito family was well represented right in this city.

NEEDEAH REPUBLICAN. Prof. A. P. Hirzy, the German optician, made his first professional visit to Neeadeah this week. All who had the pleasure of meeting Mr. Hirzy found him a pleasant and genial gentleman. He carries excellent credentials as to his ability and standing as an optician. He is to make monthly visits here.

John Lindahl and Martin Hanson leave on Monday for Shantytown, where they go to prepare for next winter's logging operations. They have between three and four million feet to log and they will commence operations on the 10th of September with about twenty-five men, which number will be increased later on.

THE GREAT SUCCESS OF CHAMBERLAIN'S CO. CO. Chamberlain's Co. Co. and Dieringer Remedy in the treatment of bowel complaints has made it standard over the greater part of the civilized world. For sale by Johnson & Hill Co., drug-gists.

AMHERST ADVOCATE. The Wolf River Telephone company has recently perfected arrangements to connect at Wausau with the Union Telephone company, which runs to Almond, Grand Rapids, Stevens Point, Plainfield, Hancock, Wautoma, and other towns in that portion of the state. The Union people have 1,200 phones in use.

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James Vaughn, Ray Love, Harry Pierce, Dr. Waters, Frank Rapp and Al Sutor made a trip up river last Sunday with the full purpose of capturing bass. There were six fishermen and they caught five fish all told, but each claims to have caught two, so we do not know which is entitled to the most credit. It's an old saying that figures can't lie, but we don't remember of ever having heard this said by fishermen.

—When you are born the Creator starts you going and you go a long time if you grease the mainspring of life with Rocky Mountain Tea. Great lubricator. Johnson & Hill Co., drug-gists.

CRANBERRY PICKING. The various marshes about this city will commence next week, some on Monday and others later in the week. J. P. Arpin will commence on his marshes on Monday and expects to harvest between twelve and fifteen hundred barrels. This is about three-fourths the amount there would have been had not been for the severe frost that visited this section on June 30. From 40 to 50 cents per bushel will be paid with the usual bonus of 5 cents to those who stay the season.

—The Plot of "Too Rich To Marry" shows a rich young man who cannot marry the choice of his heart because he is too rich, and a poor young man who cannot marry the girl he loves because he is too poor, and the ingenues and highly amusing ways in which they remove the barriers, including the opposition of an emphatic mother and the wrath of an irate father-in-law.

KEEP THE MAIN INTEREST DURING THE THREE ACTS OF THE PLAY. A counterplot runs through the comedy, always provoking hearty laughter and applause.

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LOCAL ITEMS.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Baker on Monday a boy.

Will Nash took in the fair at Stevens Point this week.

John Jeffreys drove to Junction City on Wednesday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ristow on Monday, a girl.

Miss Anna Oberbeck is visiting relatives in Chicago.

Miss Fannie Palmer is visiting with friends at Warrens.

Ed Bonham visited in New Lisbon the first of the week.

Miss Fern Miller visited with friends in Pittsville last week.

Ed Wheelan made a business trip to Marshfield on Thursday.

Arthur Sickles took in the fair at Stevens Point on Thursday.

D. Fawcett was in Plainfield the first of the week on business.

Miss Edith Lynn of Nekoosa was a visitor in the city on Thursday.

Will Gross was in Stevens Point this week in attendance at the fair.

Miss Helen Kramer attended the fair at Stevens Point on Thursday.

James McLanghlin of Babcock was in town Friday meeting his friends.

Photographer O. P. Menzel took in the Stevens Point fair on Thursday.

Mrs. J. E. Thomas of Nekoosa was in the city shopping on Wednesday.

Mrs. A. E. Keenan of Dexterville was in the city shopping on Monday.

T. A. Taylor and Wm. Scott visited the fair at Stevens Point on Thursday.

M. A. Bogger attended the Stevens Point fair on Tuesday and Wednesday.

Attorney Frank A. Cady of Marshfield was in the city on business Tuesday.

Frank Vaughn went to Stevens Point on Wednesday to take in the fair.

Chas. Hahn, of Marshfield, transacted business here yesterday and today.

W. W. Hollipeter of Marshfield transacted business in the city Wednesday.

B. T. Worthington returned Thursday night from a week's trip in South Dakota.

Miss Maurice Johnson returns today from Algoma where she has been visiting.

Felix LaPoint of Marshfield shook hands with his friends in this city on Thursday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ross of Saratoga, a little daughter on Saturday last.

Lea Lampert and Geo. Klinster, of Pittsville, were in the city on business Wednesday.

Miss Hannah Heidler of Marshfield was the guest of Miss Anna Oberbeck over Sunday.

F. E. Carey returned to Rhinelander today after a week's visit with his wife and parents.

Mrs. J. E. Cooley departed on Monday for an extended visit at Chicago and other points.

Miss Carrie Miller has accepted a position as bookkeeper in Spafford, Cole & Co.'s store.

Miss Mabel White of Pittsville has been the guest of Miss Elsie Marceau the past week.

Homer Estabrook of Dexterville drove over Thursday and transacted business in the city.

Mrs. E. S. Renne visited relatives in Stevens Point and took in the fair during the past week.

J. W. Cameron of Milwaukee is in the city today.

Miss Birdie Peeso, of Merrill, is the guest of Miss Aurelia Bandelin.

Albert Bunde and Charles Lubeck returned from their Chicago trip today.

Dan Gallagher left on Monday fog a week's visit with his sister, Mrs. Peter LaBelle at Marshfield.

Mrs. Chas. Brown returned Saturday from an extended visit with relatives in Dawson, N. D.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Fleckenstein attended the Stevens Point fair Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. Geo. E. Hoskinson left on Wednesday for a few days' visit with friends in Manitowoc.

B. Merzger and wife went to Hortonville Saturday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Metzger's sister.

Mrs. E. C. Rossier left yesterday for Pittsville to spend a few days visiting with Mrs. Nash Mitchell.

Ed. Hahn and John Stierle of Marshfield are hunting chickens in the vicinity of Nekoosa.

Miss Lily Boyles of Wausau is visiting friends in the city. She expects to return home on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lindahl were in Stevens Point this week in attendance at the Portage county fair.

—FOR SALE—Windmill complete with pump and attachments. Apply to John Arpin Lumber Co.

Mrs. Will Raymond left for Bruce this morning where she will visit a few days with her husband.

Mrs. Ed Hayes left Monday night for Chicago, where she will enter a hospital for medical treatment.

Rev. J. A. Bayton and wife returned yesterday from their visit in the southern part of the state.

Frank Houston is visiting in the city. Mr. Houston has been making his home in Green Bay of late.

Miss Rose Wipperman returned the first of the week from an extended visit with relatives in Chilton.

F. H. Burnham and W. H. Weber, of Chicago, came to the city Friday to hunt chickens with Gus Yonke.

Celia Burr and Arthur Jenkins left on Monday for Stevens Point, where they will attend the normal school.

Will Carey has been confined to his home by sickness during the past week, but is able to be about again.

Charley Podawitz departed on Thursday for Madison, where he expects to spend a week visiting friends.

F. Vincent of Hayton, Calumet Co., a brother of Sheriff Vincent, is the guest of the sheriff's family this week.

John Anderson, coaductor on the Marshfield & Southeaster, visited with friends in the city over Sunday.

—FOR RENT—Four room' house, on east side near Catholic church. Apply to John Arpin Lumber Co.

Wallace Demers returned Saturday night, having been out as correspondent with the Felt & Webster company.

Mrs. N. Schmitt and daughter, Miss Theresa, mother and sister of Mrs. M. A. Bogger, visited the family this week.

Dr. G. F. Witter has been in the city during the past week, visiting with his many old friends in this locality.

Mrs. J. McCann entertained her Sunday school class at her home Tuesday afternoon. Refreshments were served.

J. L. Whitney and daughter, Mrs. Wm. Scott, drove to Plover on Thursday and spent the day visiting with friends.

O. W. Ireland, manager of the Wisconsin department of the Bankers Life association, was in the city on Monday and settled the life insurance of the late E. B. Brundage, amounting to \$2,000.

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August Zirbel, of the town of Port Edwards, was a caller at the Tribune office this morning, being in town on business.

Court Reporter R. W. Morse returned to the city on Saturday, having spent the past two months at his home in Lancaster.

Messrs. Will and George Schroedel will leave Monday for the Dells for a week's outing. They will make the trip by boat.

Miss Clara Bisnah, of Oshkosh, spent a couple of days in the city this week the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Frank Pomainville.

C. E. Boles has accepted a position as principal of schools at Alma Center and will start in on his duties on September 10.

Alfred Emms and son, Clarence, of the east side are down with typhoid fever. A daughter of Mr. Emms is also quite ill.

Mrs. John Reiter died at Rudolph on Monday and was buried on Thursday. She leaves a husband and several children.

Mrs. John Hollmiller returned Monday night from Milwaukee, where she had spent a week receiving medical treatment.

Marie and Frank Dudley return today from Merrill, where they have been visiting their grandmother, Mrs. Sarah Dudley.

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J. J. Caning, who left here on the 15th for Prince Edward's Island, has written that he arrived in Boston all right and was going to spend a week there visiting relatives, after which he would start on his sea voyage.

The mill at Milladore that is being run by Ed. Lynch will finish the season's cut some time next month and will foot up to about three million feet. A new 35 horse power engine is being placed in the planing mill.

Arthur Doud of Winona, Minn., a nephew of A. M. Muir, is a guest at Mr. Muir's home, expecting to spend a couple of weeks in the city. R. T. Doud is expected today to spend a time in the city visiting Mr. Muir.

Miss Edna Bacon of Delavan arrived in the city on Tuesday and has since been the guest of Sup't and Mrs. Len. Miss Bacon leaves today for Marshfield where she has accepted a position as teacher in the public schools.

On Monday the horse that draws the U. S. express wagon about town went off on another rampage and in consequence they are using another wagon for the delivery of goods while the former delivery wagon is undergoing a thorough rebuild.

Ed. Lynch returned on Monday from Cheshire, Mass., where he had conveyed the remains of his aunt, Mrs. N. McCaffrey, who died at Montello, Wis. On his way home he was joined by Mrs. Lynch who has been visiting in Montana.

Charles Briere made a trip to his cranberry marsh on Tuesday evening as the indications were that there would be a frost that night. They were prepared for the worst, however, and although the thermometer went down to 39, there was no frost.

Stephen Drake, of Saratoga, and Miss Grace Blucher, of Rome, were married in this city Friday morning by the Rev. F. A. Nims at the Methodist parsonage.

Misses Nellie and Jessie Joubert, of Glen Falls, N. Y., are guests at the home of W. H. Coochran. They arrived Thursday night and will make an extended visit.

Jeweler W. G. Scott has moved into the store building formerly occupied by him and will have a nice place, when he gets settled down, with an abundance of room.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Williams of Milwaukee were in the city on Tuesday. They left for Bruce where they will visit for a time with their daughter.

Miss Mary McMillan leaves today for Marshfield where she has accepted a position again in the public schools.

Miss Lida Lessa also teaches there again the coming year.

Through a typographical error we were made to state last week that the protected term on quail ran out this year. This is not a fact as the date should be September, 1901.

D. D. Compton had an exhibition a very large egg plant that was raised at Riverdale Seed farm. This is a vegetable that is not raised much in this section of the country.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Willard of Chicago visited with their son, Baby Earl, last Thursday at the home of Mrs. John Russell, they having placed him in her care for the past year.

Rev. Homer W. Carter, secretary of the Wisconsin Home Missionary society, will occupy the pulpit of First Congregational church on Sunday, Sept. 9, morning and evening.

—WANTED—A good reliable boy or young man to drive express wagon. Enquire J. A. JAEGER for further particulars.

Mrs. Henry Fisher was agreeably surprised by her neighbors and friends on Tuesday evening, the occasion being her birthday. Refreshments were served and all had a jolly time.

Miss Margaret Nash, who has been at Rhinelander, was in the city Tuesday and Wednesday visiting friends. She left Thursday for Wausau where she will attend business college.

Mrs. John Merklein and son and Miss Lizzie Peters of Wausau, who have been visiting at the home of Mrs. N. Peplin the past two weeks, returned to their home this week.

Louis Laemle, one of Marshfield's prominent business men, was in the city on Thursday to see Gitchell & Lubeck about a contract for the plumbing in his new store building.

Amherst Advocate: Mrs. Mollie Wilson and Miss Emma Nelson are at Grand Rapids to be present at the marriage of their brother, Wm. Nelson of Merrill, to Miss Clara Rablin.

District Deputy A. McAllister of the Mystic Workers, who has been in the city the past three weeks, departed on Monday for Reedsville, after having added ten new members to the local lodge.

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CARTWRIGHT IS BURNED.

Fire Sweeps a Little Town Near Chippewa Falls.

LUMBERYARDS SAVED.

Warehouse, Three Mills and a Number of Stores and Dwellings Burned.

Chippewa Falls, Wis., Aug. 29.—[Special.]—Fire destroyed the business portion of Cartwright, a village of 400 inhabitants, twenty-four miles northwest of this city in Chippewa county. Neighboring towns were called upon for assistance to fight the fire and fire engines, and men were immediately sent there from this city and towns lying on the Omaha division of the Milwaukee road. Among the buildings that were burned are C. E. Bitney & Son's feedmill and warehouse, a planingmill and flourmill and a number of stores and dwelling-houses. The fire was headed off so that the lumberyards were saved from destruction.

The fire started in the warehouse of H. W. Lebell, and spreading, burned the sawmill, planingmill and lumber shed of C. E. Bitney. Thomas Mellens's gristmill, the Le Belle general merchandise store and two barns. A telephone message to this city says that the fire was gotten under control at midnight. The town has no fire protection but citizens formed a bucket brigade and saved it from total destruction.

Mr. Bitney's loss placed at \$3000, insurance \$1000; Lebell's loss is about \$2000, insurance \$1200; Mellens's loss is \$1500, insurance \$500. Other losses placed at about \$1000. The fire started at 11 o'clock yesterday afternoon. First report was greatly exaggerated.

SUSPECT IN TOILS.

Man at Dubuque, Ia., Thought to be Implicated in Double Murder.

Platteville, Wis., Aug. 29.—[Special.]—Fred Earl, the Platteville boy, who was with Guy Shellman and Henry Specht of this city shortly before the murder of the latter two came to light, was arrested last night at Dubuque, Ia. Marshal Sam Sheltam of this city will leave for Dubuque tomorrow to be present at the preliminary hearing of the suspected man.

Earl is about 24 years old, and his parents reside here. He served during the Spanish-American war as a private. His whereabouts since the murder have been a conundrum to the police both of this city and of Iowa.

Dubuque, Ia., Aug. 29.—[Special.]—Fred Earl of Dubuque, suspected of the murder of Guy Shellman and Henry Specht of Platteville at Savannah, Mo., July 22, was arrested here last night by the local police. The bodies of the victims were found near railroad tracks with bullet holes in the back of their heads.

The evidence against Earl is that he was seen with the murdered men a short time before the murder. The Missouri authorities learning this, sent photographs and descriptions of him broadcast, but he escaped arrest until a Platteville resident pointed him out to a policeman in a saloon. Marshall Sam Sheltam of Platteville, father of one of the victims, has been summoned and he may be able to supply additional evidence against the prisoner.

Before the young men left for Missouri they were in Dubuque and here they were in Dubuque and here with a sum of money in their pockets.

LEAPED FOR LIFE.

Kaukauna Trainman Jumps from Car Falling from a High Trestle.

Kaukauna, Wis., Aug. 29.—Warren Crane, a switchman for the Chicago & North-Western Railroad company, took a leap of twenty-five feet yesterday and escaped with only a slight sprain in one of his feet. Mr. Crane was on the top of a freight car, which was being pushed on the high trestle at the company's coal sheds. The car was partly off the end of the trestle by being crowded too far, and was just on the point of balancing over when he made his leap to escape the greater danger of falling with the car. The car did not leave the track, however, being held from falling by the coupling and the weight of the train. The wrecking crew had to be employed to pull it back and one set of trucks had to be removed in order to right the car.

MENASHA BOY DROWNS.

Sixteen-Year-Old Lad Ventures Too Far from Shore.

Menasha, Wis., Aug. 29.—[Special.]—John Wreszinski, the 16-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Wreszinski, Milwaukee street, was drowned yesterday afternoon at about 2:30 o'clock near the railroad bridge of the Wisconsin Central railroad. Young Wreszinski was employed at the factory of the Menasha Woodenware company. At the close of his day's work he, with four other boys, went to the canal for a swim. The unfortunate lad was not a good swimmer and he had not gone more than ten feet from the shore when his strength gave out. He called out once as he went down. He came up once and then sank to the bottom. His companions at once gave the alarm to the police and in a short time a search was being made for the body. Several men dived repeatedly and several boats with grappling hooks were used. After searching about two hours Oliver Flint, who was dragging, found the body.

FOUND A BIG SKELETON.

Excavators at Kaukauna Make Another Find of Indian Relics.

Kaukauna, Wis., Aug. 29.—[Special.]—Foreman Erskine Bailey of the United States government drydock basin, which is being excavated here yesterday, unearthed more Indian skeletons and relics. Among them was one of the longest skeletons Mr. Bailey has ever found, also several copper arrow heads and a small copper plate. The relics he has added to his already-large collection, and the Indian bones were immediately re-interred in another spot.

APPEAL THE CASE.

City of Marinette Wants the Tax Levy Equalized.

Marinette, Wis., Aug. 29.—[Special.]—The city today filed notice of appeal from the county tax as fixed by the county board in 1899. The city will sue Judge Hastings for the appointment of a commission to equalize the valuation for 1899. The city has won out on the valuations of 1899 and 1898, having its tax reduced about \$10,000 for these two years.

The town of Peshtigo has appealed to the Supreme court in each case.

NOT TOO OLD TO BE MARRIED.

Groom of 75 Years Takes a Bride at Prairie du Sac.

Baraboo, Wis., Aug. 29.—[Special.]—Charles Payne and Mrs. Julia Durkee were married last evening at the residence of Miles Keyser at Prairie du Sac. The groom is 75 and the bride is ten years his junior and both have been married at Prairie du Sac for almost half a century. Over one year ago the groom celebrated his golden wedding by his former wife, who died shortly after.

STATE FAIR A WINNER.

Letters Received by the Officers Indicate Fine Exhibits and Large Attendance.

Milwaukee, Wis., Aug. 29.—[Special.]—That the forthcoming State fair will be a big success is not duly predicted, but it is assured. What should not be? The farmers have had bountiful harvests, they are securing remunerative prices for their stocks, the factories and mills are running, giving employment to skilled and unskilled labor, and the iron industry is prosperous. As a consequence the people can afford to visit the fair, which in point of attractions will surpass any previous fair given in Wisconsin.

Military day will bring 5000 or 6000 persons alone to see the infantry, artillery and cavalry in camp and going through evolutions, dress parade, prize drill, guard mount and battalion and company drill. Letters received from the country promise that these companies will have full complements of officers and men, and the city companies are not behind in enthusiasm nor will they be in attendance with others and men.

State Press Interested.

The grand athletic carnival, to which almost a whole day will be devoted, will be the most successful in point of number of events and high class of competition that has ever occurred in the North.

Bart J. Riddle, State fair press agent, is securing letters from the press all over the state, and the writers are almost unanimous in their work for the fair, and they all report great enthusiasm among the people and predict a greater attendance than has ever been known at a fair in Wisconsin.

John M. True, secretary of the state board, reports that the entries are more than satisfactory, both in numbers and character, surpassing any previous fair held.

The president of the board, George McKerrow, is securing letters to be bushed illustrating the support of the people throughout this and adjoining states. Mr. McKerrow has paid a visit to the Iowa State fair in the interest of that of Wisconsin, and the result will be the removal of exhibits and attractions from there to Milwaukee.

Southwestern Attendance.

Charles Bastord, a well-known merchant of Lancaster, Wis., called at the press headquarters of the State fair last week and stated that great interest was being shown by the farming community of the southwestern section of the state in the coming fair. "Notwithstanding that we are nearly 200 miles from Milwaukee," said Mr. Bastord, "there will be a great lot of people who will take advantage of the low rate to the fair to have a good time this fall. There will be a large number from our town, and the majority of the people adjacent to Lancaster have signed to make their intentions of visiting the fair this year, as they are thoroughly convinced that it will be a grand success. Quite a few exhibits have been sent from the southwestern section of the state. There will be large crowds from Darlington and Platteville also."

FOR A BIG RESORT.

Company with \$100,000 to Build Summer Hotel Near Merrill.

Merrill, Wis., Aug. 29.—[Special.]—During the next few months a large summer resort will be built on the banks of the Prairie du Chien River at this week endeavoring to interest Merrill capital in the project, which will be materialized soon. A stock company will be organized with a capital of \$100,000 and a large hotel will be erected on the site, which includes 150 acres recently purchased for that purpose.

UNCLE SAM ROBBED.

Burglars Enter St. Joseph, Mich., Postoffice, and Secure \$5000.

St. Joseph, Mich., Aug. 29.—[Special.]—The postoffice of this city was entered by burglars last night and from \$5000 to \$5000 in money and stamps taken. The burglars entered from a room above, coming down through an iron ceiling and breaking into the vault, which was supposed to be burglar proof. The work was done to the last of experts. There is no trace of the burglars.

SURVIVED THE SHOCK.

Racine County Young Man Struck by Ball from Clouds.

Racine, Wis., Aug. 29.—John Meinhart of the town of Raymond, while engaged in placing eavesboards on a house, was struck by a bolt of lightning on the right shoulder. It passed down his arm and leg, tearing his clothing to shreds and the bone off his foot. He was rendered unconscious and remained in that condition for over an hour, but has now entirely recovered.

SCARLET FEVER SCARE.

Spread of the Disease in the City of La Crosse.

La Crosse, Wis., Aug. 29.—[Special.]—The city is looking with apprehension at the spread of scarlet fever in the east portion of the town. There are already many cases, all very mild; but in other locality it is more severe. The latest case is in the family of A. H. Mitchell.

New Deposit for Grand Rapids.

Grand Rapids, Wis., Aug. 29.—[Special.]—The officials of the Chicago & North-Western railway arrived here yesterday in special coach to make arrangements for the building of a new depot and the purchase of grounds. They decided to build a depot on the east side of the river, provided they were given the right-of-way and grounds.

Reversed the Verdict.

Marinette, Wis., Aug. 29.—[Special.]—A year ago George Stadie obtained a judgment for \$5000 against the Marinette Lumber company for the loss of his mill. The Supreme court has reversed the verdict on the grounds that the plaintiff assumed the risk when he took the employment.

Railway Gang on a Strike.

Ronquillo, Wis., Aug. 29.—[Special.]—A gang of eight bridge carpenters employed by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway company, receiving \$2 per day, struck for \$2.25 per day. Another gang of men will take their place at once.

New Postmaster at Colton.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 27.—[Special.]—Charles Richard has been appointed postmaster at Colton, Chippewa county, vice Victor Rokean, resigned.

A ROWBOAT CAPSIZES.

Four Members of Quade Family at Kaukauna Drown.

AN AWFUL DISASTER.

Father and His Little Daughter Cling to the Overturned Boat and Are Saved.

Kaukauna, Wis., Aug. 27.—[Special.]—A terrific disaster overtook the family of Henry Quade here yesterday afternoon, when his wife and three of his sons were drowned in the river by the overturning of a boat. Quite a number of German families were holding a picnic and "fish fry" just below town on the bank of Fox river, where the accident occurred. Mr. Quade was taking part of his family out for a boatride, having in the boat his wife, a daughter and three sons, when in trying to change the boat, turned over and threw them all into the water. All sank to the bottom. The little girl clung to the surface. Mr. Quade caught hold of the overturned boat and thus saved his son and daughter. Those drowned were: MRS. MATILDA QUADE, aged 32 years; HAROLD QUADE, aged 10 years; WILLIE QUADE, aged 8 years; FREDDIE QUADE, aged 6 years.

Men who witnessed the accident hastened to the assistance of Mr. Quade and the little girl. Mrs. Quade had been soon found, but those of the children were probably carried some distance by the current, which is strong at that point.

The oldest daughter of the unfortunate family is Annie, a girl of 14 years of age, who remained on the shore to care for the baby boy, aged 3 months, and her youngest sister, aged 2 years.

Two Rivers, Wis., Aug. 27.—[Special.]—Joseph Kratcha, 16 years of age, drowned in the river Saturday evening. He was taken with cramps while swimming.

Eau Claire, Wis., Aug. 27.—[Special.]—The body of Arthur Beau, aged 16, was found in the Dells reservoir Sunday morning. The lad had gone in swimming, leaving his clothes on the boom nearby.

CARRIED OFF SILKS.

Madison Store is Robbed of \$1000 Worth of Merchandise.

Madison, Wis., Aug. 27.—[Special.]—Silk thieves entered the New York store last night and got away with \$1000 worth of black silks. The thieves are supposed to be Chicago crooks. There is no clue to them, except that three strangers were seen on the street after midnight, a block from the store.

John Hummel, an aged and well-to-do farmer from Spencer, Ia., who came to Madison with an excursion Sunday, was robbed of \$100 cash and a draft for \$200 by pickpockets who came on the train. He is an uncle of John Hummel of Milwaukee, and the latter came to his rescue, and the old gentleman being left stranded here.

La Crosse, Wis., Aug. 27.—[Special.]—An organized gang of professional silk thieves looted Corn's dry goods store of \$1000 worth of silk last night.

The same gang visited St. Paul, Dubuque, Cedar Rapids, Des Moines and other river towns.

Some time between Saturday night and this morning they entered L. Coren's store. Lights burned in the store both nights and the steel was made in spite of the fact that the city police regularly pass the store during the night, and Hatt's detectives regularly try the doors and examine the windows. They got in through the basement window. They left no trace behind.

SAT ON THE TRACK.

Fred Hassamer of Marinette Struck by a Soot Train.

Marinette, Wis., Aug. 27.—[Special.]—Fred Hassamer, an employee of Holmes & Son, was seriously and probably fatally injured yesterday. As he was walking on the way back to his home on Park street in this city, he met with instant ill fortune. He was struck by a soot train and hurled into the ditch. His skull was fractured and he was otherwise mangled and hurt. He is at the hospital here, but will probably die. His escape from instant death was miraculous.

For the past few years Mr. Brown had been a resident of this city, but before that time he had lived in France. Mr. Brown was born September 20, 1891, on an ocean liner between this country and France. His father was engaged with the colonial troops in the War of the Revolution and later in the war of 1812 and in the Seminole war.

By marriage Mr. Brown was connected with the best families of France, the surviving widow being a second cousin of the Marquis de Lafayette. For many years Mr. Brown lived in Paris in affluence, but after he came to this country he met with financial reverses and was worried to sell popcorn on the streets to make a living. One daughter and the widow survive.

Baraboo, Wis., Aug. 27.—[Special.]—Peter Wilkinson, aged 64, a resident of Baraboo for fifty years, died of cancer of the stomach.

Prarie du Chien, Wis., Aug. 27.—James Horsman, aged 36.

THROWN FORTY FEET.

Section Man, Struck by a Train at Janesville and Killed.

Janesville, Wis., Aug. 27.—[Special.]—William Scherakar, a section man, was standing on the North-Western track this morning and did not notice the approach of the fast northbound train. He was struck and thrown forty feet. Both of his legs were broken and his ribs were crushed in. He died before he could be taken to the hospital.

Three Lakes, Wis., Aug. 27.—[Special.]—John John Dohle, laborer at the Ig Lake Lumber company's mill, two miles south of this place, was run over and instantly killed by passenger train No. 27, early Sunday morning. He had evidently been drinking and fell asleep on the railway track on his way home.

BONITA BREAKS RECORD.

Isaac Stephenson's Little Yacht Makes a Fast Run.

Marinette, Wis., Aug. 27.—[Special.]—The yacht Bonita, owned by Isaac Stephenson, broke the record between Marinette and Portage, Eescanilla yesterday. She left North Marinette after 1 o'clock and passed the afternoons before 5 o'clock. The distance is sixty-four miles, and her speed was an average of seventeen miles an hour. The Eescanilla fishing party was brought home.

WILL STOP FREE RIDES.

Milwaukee Road Detectives Out Blind Baggage Passengers.

Baraboo, Wis., Aug. 27.—[Special.]—At the Long Beach meeting of the veterans of the Sixty-third Wisconsin battery Rev. Jenkins Lloyd Jones of Chicago was elected president; W. B. Jones, vice-president; A. D. Goodwin, orderly; O. J. Burnham, corresponding secretary; M. V. Hungerford, treasurer; W. T. Hayes, secretary. The next reunion will be held at Spring Green.

Chicago Minister Accepts Call.

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VESPER.

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Adam Johnson of the Minneapolis Bridge Co. is here this week putting in bridges in the town of Vesper. He has finished the bridge here across the Hemlock, and has gone to put one at Dable's, and one on the road east from Cahill's switch.

Jesse Hess and Maggie Ledger were married Monday evening at the home of the Justice of the Peace, F. W. Merrill. They will go to housekeeping in the house recently erected by Jesse on his place. They have the best wishes of all.

Samuel Boynton is visiting his brothers, Fred and Elias, and his sister, Mrs. J. H. Crandall, at New Lisbon. This is his first visit to that section for twenty-five years.

T. J. Evans went down home last Saturday on business connected with his hardware store. It is rumored that he expects to remove his stock of goods to some other place.

The ice cream social given last Saturday evening brought in nearly \$5. Another will be given Sept. 8th and the ladies hope to see everybody turn out.

Mike Cahill is rapidly pushing his house to completion. He expects soon to have it ready for the plasterer and the painter.

E. Jackson and wife of Big Bend, Wis., are visiting the family of J. P. Sanders.

John Petersen went down to Dover this week.

MARSHFIELD ITEMS.

Lawyer Wheeler, of Grand Rapids, came up Monday to look after the belongings of Schultz, the piano man, who is in jail at that place for being caught out with another man's wife. The property consists of a horse and buggy and was left in McMullen's livery barn when Schultz left here. Mr. Whalen says the jail is crowded and in nearly every case a woman is at the bottom of it.

P. N. Christensen had an exciting time one night last week while driving home with his wife and family. He had a team of colts hitched to his buggy and they became frightened and ran away and when Mr. Christensen attempted to stop them he was knocked down and the family thrown from the buggy. They escaped without injury, however.

Preparations are in progress for the new armory which will soon be completed. It is proposed to devote two evenings to the opening process, on the first of which there will be a promenade concert and the next a dance. The hall will be elaborately decorated and the Second Regiment band will furnish the music.

John Freund died last Sunday evening from an abscess on his lung. He leaves a wife and four children. The funeral was held Tuesday from the Lutheran church.

Rasmus J. Erickson left last Saturday for his old home in Denmark. He has lived in the United States nineteen years and this is his first visit to the fatherland. He may decide to remain there.

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The Marshfield Maennerchor will have a picnic on Sunday and a big time is looked for. A dancing floor has been built for the occasion.

CRANMOOR.

Mr. and Mrs. Whittlesey and their cousin, Miss Wedsworth, of Chicago, spent some very pleasant days the last week visiting friends and sightseeing at Nekoosa, Port Edwards and Grand Rapids.

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Mrs. Timothy Foley and children came home on the five p. m. train Monday from a visit of one week with Tomah relatives.

A. E. Bennett and party returned from their trip down the river last Saturday evening and report a very enjoyable time.

Miss Madge Silverhorn and brother of Wausau arrived on the noon train Thursday and are guests of Miss Dorothy Fitch.

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